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Dorothy Macvane Crushed by Horror of Italian Arrest

THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT IS PERMITTED TO TREAT HER AS A FEMALE SPY, THAT FOULEST TYPE OF ADVENTURESS, A COCOTTE AND A TRAITRESS? POOR DOROTHY, THE TYPE OF A REFINED AMERICAN GIRL OF HONORABLE FAMILY, IS CRUSHED BY THE HORROR OF IT. "THEY THINK MY HANDS ARE COVERED NOT ONLY WITH KISSES, BUT WITH BLOOD," SHE WRITES ME.—*From letter by Edith Macvane.*

JILTED, ACCUSES DOROTHY MACVANE

SUNNY ITALY JUST STORM AFTER STORM FOR THIS BOSTON GIRL

Dorothy Macvane in operatic costume as "Lucia."

Champ Clark Predicts Big Prosperity

SPEAKER CHAMPIONS NEW LAWS

Champ Clark dropped into Boston today on his return from a speaking trip in Maine, and put up at the Bellevue where, when a reporter found him, he discussed national topics at length. He predicted a tremendous business boom to follow the tariff and currency bills; declared the five per cent. tax on goods brought in on foreign bottoms would rehabilitate our merchant marine, and said the Progressive Party's future rests in the hands—or maws—of the South American anacondas. He said:

"The tariff is a big proposition. I know less about it now than I did twenty years ago, when I entered Congress. The longer you study it, the less you know. But I believe it is for the best interests of the whole country, and I believe it is the best tariff bill the country has ever had—as the future will show.

WILL PREVENT PANICS.

"There is a big business boom coming, sure as shooting. Take the currency bill. The currency bill will give the small merchant and manufacturer of the country money to do the business of the country.

"Furthermore, the bill will absolutely prevent panics. With the tariff settled and money at their disposal business men can look for good times ahead. There is a big boom coming.

"Boston wants a regional bank. Well, if I were a Bostonian, I wouldn't worry but what Boston will get one. There never was a time when Boston could not take care of herself and put forward her own claims. There will be plenty of committee hearings and plenty of opportunity for Boston merchants and bankers to present their arguments for a bank here. There is little fear Boston will not get a bank.

"There is another thing we have done this session. That clause putting a 5 to 10 per cent. tax on goods in foreign bottoms will rehabilitate our merchant marine and restore its strength."

Then the Speaker came to the local political situation.

ATTACK LEADER IN CALUMET

GREENBAY, Wis., Dec. 27.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, stopped from a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul southbound passenger train here today and with his head partially bandaged was directed to the office of a surgeon for treatment.

Mr. Moyer stated that he had been shot and badly maltreated in his ejection from the copper country last night as a result of the strike there which has kept the country in an unsettled condition for five months and had its culmination Christmas Eve in the fatality resulting in the death of seventy-two persons. He said:

SHOT IN SACK.

"Charles H. Tanner and myself were brutally assaulted in my room in the Scott Hotel at Hancock last night. I was shot in the back and dragged more than one and one-half miles through the streets of Hancock by a mob of Wadell-Mahon thugs and City Alliance men; put on a Milwaukee train and threatened with death if I returned. Please say for me that the cause I represent is well worth the suffering I have undergone.

"The strike has just begun. The cause of the strike is just and the men will win.

"Several men attacked me in the dark," explained Moyer. "They fired on me in the dark, beat me terribly, dragged me more than a mile through the streets of Houghton threatened to hang me and then put me on board the train. I had just been in conference with a committee of fifteen men who called with Attorney Bederman, who represented the Calumet & Hecla Mining Company. The committee had not been gone from my hotel more than four or five minutes and I had just stepped outside the building when a mob of—I have no idea of how many men—surrounded me. I was rushed through Hancock and across the bridge into Houghton.

BROTHER DEFENDS SOUL WIFE

MONTICELLO, N. Y., Dec. 27.—As the result of the pathetic pleas made by his sister, Herbert C. Drance today said he would aid in every way Adelaide M. Drance, who is still a voluntary prisoner in the county jail. The Hartwick postmaster was bitter in his arraignment of M. H. Couch, the dead lawyer, who for three years kept his sister as his slave in a little room off his office. He blamed Couch for his sister's downfall, and declared that his tragic death was a just retribution.

Drance refused to discuss what plans he had made for his sister's future. He said, however, that he would not take her to his own home as other members of his family were still bitter against the girl. Drance was forced to return to Hartwick on business connected with the postoffice, but said before leaving that he would return late today or tomorrow to take his sister away.

CALLS COUCH A "WHELP."

"I am very sorry to leave my sister behind now," he said, "but she has not yet made up her mind what to do. I will make a home for her. Where, I cannot disclose now. She will not, however, go back to her birthplace.

"My sister is not penniless. She has two or three mortgages which she will dispose of before leaving.

"This man Couch was a human whelp. He professed an interest in my sister's work when she first went to Monticello. He gave her the names of prominent men, most of whom were cronies of his in the bar and poker room at a hotel here. She sold all of them copies of her book, from the sale of which she made a good living. Then he told here she might add to her income by doing typewriting for him nights.

PROVED AN EASY PREY.

"She was a simple, modest, school teacher and was an easy victim of this man, who could make his friends believe he held four aces on a one card draw when he had only a bob-tail-flush.

"He made presents to her and met her by appointment in other places than Monticello. They dined together and went to theatres. The result was certain. He awakened in my sister the latent powers of her love. Then he played upon her sympathies with stories of an unhappy, married life and she became his willing companion. She realizes the extremity of her position in the social world, but above it all she still refers to her love for the man who lured her from a decent girlhood."

Miss Drance's effects were removed from Couch's office to the jail Monday, but she has made no move to pack them. She still sits in the hospital ward weeping and moaning, leaving all plans for the future to her brother.

Today she declared that her movements are now controlled by the dead lawyer, and that she is still in communication with him.

"He directs my every step," she declared. "He tells me what to do and what not to do. He counsels me, talks to me, and tells me of his love."

Mrs. Hearst on Panama Commission

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Governor Glynn today announced the appointment of Mrs. Millicent V. Hearst, wife of William Randolph Hearst, as a member of the Panama-Pacific Exposition Commission from New York State.

New Haven Board Discusses B. & M.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad met here today. The matters under discussion are believed to be the road's holdings in the Boston & Maine and departmental affairs. No statement of the outcome of the meeting will be given out until 6 o'clock.

Offers $2,000 for 1804 Yale Dollar

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Dec. 27.—Numismatists flocked to this city today in an effort to get possession of the 1804 silver dollar which was found in a pot of coins and old documents unearthed at the excavation for the Yale hockey rink. Colonel J. P. Hart of Philadelphia, representing a wealthy collector of that city, was early on the ground with an offer of $2,000 for the coin.

Late Santa Visits Somerville Police

A belated but welcome Santa Claus visited the Somerville police department today and every member of the department save Chief Kendall got a raise. The average increase for the patrolmen is 14 cents a day.

Admiral Douglas, British Hero, Dead

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Admiral Douglas, retired, died today while on a cruise in the South Sea. He was eighty years old, entered the English navy in 1847 and received many medals for brave service.

Kneeland Goes on the Council Ballot

The Election Board has certified former Alderman Fred J. Kneeland for a place on the City Council ballot. Kneeland filed 7,866 names and 1,150 were passed by the board.

P. J. Hurley Fined $100 in Auto Case

Judge Hitchinson in the Dedham Court today fined Patrick Hurley $100 on a charge of operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor. Hurley appealed and was held in $300.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and somewhat colder tonight; Sunday probably fair with slowly rising temperature; brisk northwest winds diminishing.

Sun rises 7:13, sets 4:18.
New moon.
High tide 11:45 a.m., 11:30 p.m.
Temperature: Boston 32.

PLOT AGAINST BOSTON SINGER IN ITALY IS BARED BY SISTER

The persecution of Miss Dorothy Macvane, the young grand opera singer from Cambridge, by the Italian naval authorities, who kept the girl under technical arrest at Taranto, Italy, was the result of a deliberate plot by a rejected suitor to brand her as a spy.

The suitor who hatched this cowardly spy plot is an Italian naval officer whom the American girl refused to wed.

SISTER TELLS STORY OF PLOT.

The secret of this suitor and his machinations was told today for the first time in a letter received in this country from Miss Edith Macvane, sister of the harassed singer.

Miss Edith Macvane is a widely known novelist and writer of short stories. Into this letter, which exposed the plotter, the novelist threw all the fire and vigor of her sisterly indignation and her literary talents.

"Poor Dorothy is crushed by the horror of it.

"A defenseless and innocent girl—I am sure the American public would feel indignation—but distress of mind is a calumny—she fears for her personal safety."

Such burning phrases occur in Miss Edith Macvane's letter.

LIKE CRAWFORD NOVEL.

In righteous wrath Miss Edith Macvane asks in her letter:

"How else in Italy of the Italian government is permitted to treat her (Dorothy) in this way, as a female spy, that foulest type of adventuress, a cocotte and a traitress?"

The writer shows a condition of affairs hardly credible in this twentieth century, a condition in which a rejected wooer is actually able to use the powerful Italian government as a tool to wreak his cruel ven-

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DEEP MYSTERY IN DEATH OF RAMPOLLA

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A Central News dispatch from Rome says the newspaper Messengero announces that the exhumation of Cardinal Rampolla's body has been ordered in order that a post mortem may be performed to determine the cause of the prelate's death.

ROME, Dec. 27.—While search was being made today for the missing small box containing private papers of the late Cardinal Rampolla, rumors were circulated that the former papal Secretary of State did not die from natural causes.

These rumors met with prompt denial by Vatican officials and intimate friends and relatives of the dead cardinal. They also declare that the body will not be exhumed for medical examination.

Poultry News That Is Read For Profit

In that section of the American's "Want Ad" pages devoted to Poultry, there is scarcely a line which doesn't hold some interest for whoever is engaged in this thriving industry.

Whether it be some particular breed that is being offered—or some new food preparation—or whether chickens, pigeons or ducks are concerned—these columns are always alive with important trade news.

More than that, these brief trade announcements convey information and suggestions that are full of profit-producing possibilities. All that is needed is application on the reader's part.

So it will profit every poultry raiser and dealer to read the Poultry advertising carefully and continuously. Poultry is looming large among New England's industries, and as its importance increases so does the importance of the poultry news in the "Want Ad" columns of the American.

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Court Defends the Mother-in-Law

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—The mother-in-law is held up as a much maligned person in the first report issued by Chicago's Court of Domestic Relations today. Only six per cent. of the divorces and other marital cases brought before the court in 1913 could be charged to her, or his, mother. Drink is the chief cause of unhappiness among married folk.

Henderson Gang Cornered in Mine

PINEVILLE, Ky., Dec. 27.—State troops and deputy sheriffs today cornered the members of the Henderson gang who killed two men, wounded a deputy sheriff and terrorized the community of Four Mile. The gang members were driven into an old coal mine and a seige was started in the hope that the men would surrender. The Hendersons are heavily armed.

GETS SIX MONTHS FOR DORCHESTER THEFT.

Hugh J. McSherry, 18, of Arcadia street, Jamaica Plain, was today sentenced to six months in jail for stealing a child's bank containing $7 and spoons from the home of Mrs. Emilie Prevot, No. 86 Aukland street, Dorchester.

FINED FOR LIQUOR NUISANCE.

Joseph Sireanno of No. 52 Homer avenue, Mt. Auburn, was fined $60 in Cambridge District Court today for maintaining a liquor nuisance.

Lost Veteran Is Found.

David Walker, a veteran at the Chelsea Soldiers Home, who had been missing two days, was found by the police in a shanty on Eastern avenue, Chelsea. He was returned to the home.

Hunt for Lynn Mute.

The police of Malden and Lynn are searching for Charles N. McLeod, eighteen, a deaf and dumb boy, who is missing from the home of his brother, George Rodies of No. 17 Preble street, Lynn.

MACVANE GIRL PERSECUTED BY FORMER SUITOR

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geance upon the girl who declines to accept his suit.

The plot, as revealed in Miss Edith Macvane's letter, reads more like the ingenious conceptions of F. Marion Crawford in his novels of modern Roman life, than the actual doings of everyday life.

The letter was written at the time when the singer's troubles were coming to a climax, when she was constantly shadowed and was practically under arrest, though not actually incarcerated. It reads as follows:

Some weeks ago my sister Dorothy went to Taranto, the great Italian naval station, to sing with a grand opera company in Puccia." "Barbiere," &c. At first all went well. Then for the past week we had no letters. Today two letters were brought to the home of a little dressmaker.

The letters had been sent under cover for me from my sister, who tells us her correspondence has been intercepted and she for some days has nothing from us. This is the story the letters tell:

By an Italian naval officer who fell in love with her and whom she refused she has been denounced to the naval authorities there as a political spy. Her correspondence has been intercepted, her room and private boxes have been continually searched; when she goes out she is followed by a "shadow," a police spy, who stays not five feet away. She is prevented from singing, the populace (result her as "guella donna"—"that woman." She is under continual observation from the Ministry of Marine in Rome, and her every move is telegraphed here.

WARNED OF ARREST.

At the same time she cannot leave Taranto and return here to the house of her family in Rome, because she has been warned that if she attempts to get away she may be arrested at the station. Her distress of mind is extreme. She writes me in much agitation. For two days she has not eaten; her distress is such that her stomach will not retain food. She fears for her personal safety. She fears also that she may be ordered to leave Italy, where we are established in a home, and where she must stay to make her career if she is to get any good from her long years of study. To leave Italy and start her career all over again in Germany would be an impossible step. At the same time, how stay in Italy if the Italian government is not permitted to treat her in this way, as a female spy, the foulest type of adventuress, a cocotte and a traitress?

Poor Dorothy, the type of a refined American girl of honorable family, is crushed by the horror of it. They think my hands are covered not only with kisses, but with blood," she writes me.

APPEAL TO AMBASSADOR.

In the meantime, my father, Professor Macvane, is extremely ill. I cannot tell him of the situation in which Dorothy is. I cannot even write her directly, because her letters are intercepted. Our friend Prince Orsini has kindly given us the address of a friend of his in Taranto to whom I may send my letters to my sister Dorothy, who will convey them to her. Thus only may I communicate with my sister. I cannot go to her because my father is ill. She cannot come home because of her contract and because the police would arrest her at the station. Meanwhile she stays to be persecuted and insulted and under constant threat of violence and of arrest.

I now go to see our Ambassador. In the meantime I implore you to give publicity to this treatment accorded to a defenseless and innocent girl, a young singer of talents and promise here in Italy. I am sure the American public would feel indignation to know to what a situation Dorothy Macvane now stands.

Nine days after this letter was written the Italian Ministry of Marine, Admiral Millo, on protest from Ambassador Page, ordered that the espionage over the grand opera singer cease. The police of Taranto were directed to leave the girl alone, to call off their spy and generally to cease annoying her.

But present despatches from Rome show that Miss Macvane is still subjected to gross discourtesies.

The girl declares that attempts have been made to blackmail her. She demanded the arrest of an Italian whom she accused of offering to suppress a defamatory article if she paid him $2,000. The Taranto police laid a trap for the man and arrested him.

JEWELS ATTACHED.

Then her opera manager at Taranto claimed she had broken a contract. He attached her furs and jewels. She is trying now to recover these valuables.

Dispatches from Rome yesterday related more persecutions of the high-spirited girl. She was followed on the streets of Toronto by crowds which jeered and hissed her, with cries of "spia" (spy).

When the Italian naval authorities undertook to repair the wrongs they had done Miss Macvane, they said that she was accidentally taken for a spy on account of having thought lessly "snapped" pictures of fortifications, which is a serious offense in Europe.

No mention was made by the naval authorities of the young officer who had been disappointed in his wooing and who had taken this cowardly revenge.

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READY TO TAKE BREWER RULING TO HIGH COURT

Elias Brewer, father of Miss Ella Brewer of Chelsea and a prominent Boston business man, declared today that he will carry to the highest court, if necessary, his fight against the finding of a police trial board exonerating Policeman John J. Horgan of his daughter's charge against him of falsely and maliciously arresting her on a complaint of drunkenness.

It is understood the young woman's family will institute a civil suit for damages in the case.

Miss Brewer herself in a statement today charged that two members of the police trial board were "particular friends" of Horgan and that the ruling was no surprise to her.

The board's finding, made public in a general order from Police Commissioner O'Meara, justifies Horgan's arrest of the young woman in the face of her acquittal on a charge of intoxication in the Charlestown Municipal Court.

Judge Charles J. Brown, who presided at the court hearing and who exonerated Miss Brewer despite the police testimony against her, said today:

"It would be improper for me to make comment on the police commissioner's decision and action.

"I discharged the young woman on the evidence submitted to me in the Charlestown Municipal Court. My decision speaks for itself as recorded in the court at Charlestown."

Mr. Brewer said:

"We are not going to drop this case by any means. The reputation of my daughter has been injured, probably damaged beyond repair in the eyes of the people who do not know her personally.

HAD NEVER TASTED LIQUOR.

"The finding of the police board and the comment of Commissioner O'Meara not only exonerates the policeman, but puts him on the back for 'doing his duty.'

"My girl has never tasted liquor in her life. At least twenty witnesses testified at the hearing to that effect. Her cousin, Hessie Olpin, testified that the night Ella was arrested was the only night Ella has ever been out of the house all night.

"Her Sunday school teacher testified to her character and despite the overwhelming proofs that Ella never drank in her life, the policeman who arrested her on the charge of drunkenness is commended for his act.

Mrs. Brewer said:

"I don't know much about legal proceedings, but it is perfectly evident to me that the police of Charlestown will give no protection to our young girls."

The general order, dismissing the complaint, is one of the longest ever sent out by the Commissioner. Patrolman Horgan, in the general order, is practically praised for arresting Miss Brewer.

Police Keep Card "Index" of Drunks

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—"Have you been carded yet?" is the latest greeting in Washington. The operators of the Jones-Work liquor law forbids drunkenness on the streets in the District of Columbia. The police now keep a card inrex of "drunks."

Exhibit 8,000 Fowl at New York Show

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The poultry supplanted the horse and the automobile in the interest of the general public at the Madison Square Garden poultry show. More than 8,000 chickens, ducks, turkeys, geese and other fowl are shown.

Musicians' Union Has New Orchestra

Boston theatre-goers will recognize many familiar names in the roster of the new orchestra formed by the Musicians' Union after months of preparation. Charles Frank will be the conductor and the orchestra has been licensed to give Sunday afternoon concerts.

Ask Pardon for "Old John" Dietz

MADISON, Wis. Dec. 27.—The application for pardon of John Dietz, "the defender of Cameron dam," who, resisted the State of Wisconsin successfully from arrest for about two years, was presented to Governor McGovern. The Governor will announce his decision later.

Lawyer Suicide's Widow Leaves City

Heartbroken over the suicide of her husband on Christmas Day in New York, Mrs. George F. Parker of Brookline will remove with her children within a few days to Hartford, Ct., where she will live with her father. Her husband's body has been taken there to await her arrival.

Underwood Opens Campaign.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. — Representative Underwood of Alabama, Democratic leader of the House, has left for Alabama to give his Senatorial campaign some attention during the recess of Congress.

LILLIAN LORRAINE TRICKS HUSBAND IN SEPARATION SUIT

MISS LILLIAN LORRAINE.

LATE NEWS BY CABLE

New Pantomine at Drury Lane.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A huge audience at the Drury Lane Theatre greeted with enthusiasm the "Sleeping Beauty Reawakened." It is an extended edition of last year's pantomime by George R. Sims and Arthur Collins. The critics praise the production.

Kaiserin Going to Brunswick.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent says the Kaiserin will take up her residence in the royal castle of Brunswick in February to be with her daughter, the Duchess of Brunswick, who is expecting a happy event in the Spring.

Alfonso's Card to English.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The King of Spain has sent to the First Battalion of the King's Royal Rifles an autograph Christmas card wishing the regiment good luck. The Queen of Spain's two brothers are officers of the regiment.

Must Respect Russian Hymn.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—A Russian newspaper man named Brushkovsky, who worked up the case against Mendel Beilis, was sentenced to imprisonment for one year for keeping his seat when the national anthem was being played.

Kitchener Not Going to India.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Rumors of the appointment of Lord Kitchener to the Viceroyalty of India in the near future are declared by the Times Cairo correspondent to be absolutely unfounded.

Smallest Man Is Dead.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—John William White, a confectioner, probably the smallest man in the world, is dead at Southend, aged fifty-three years. He was only twenty-five inches in height.

Warn Against 'Charity' Bequests

In the thirty-fourth annual report of the Associated Charities of Boston declares that during the past year a number of bequests have been made to fraudulent or worthless charities and calls attention to the need of careful inquiry on the part of persons who are making their wills. Twenty per cent. out of 779 cases, the committee says, have been found to be fraudulent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Despite her seeking a divorce and having him arrested on a charge of stealing a $5,000 diamond ring, no sooner did Frederick Greshelmer hear that Lillian Lorraine, his actress wife, had been robbed of jewelry and wearing apparel valued at more than $8,000, than he called up the hotel where she lives.

"If there's anything I can do for you just tell me," he said. "I've just heard of the robbery. I hope I can be of some assistance."

"Oh, indeed you can," Miss Lorraine replied.

Soon Nellie Johnson, Miss Lorraine's maid, stepped off the elevator and handed him a long blue envelope. Mr. Greshelmer opened it and glanced at the contents. Then he tore some long, legal-looking papers into tiny bits and rushed out of the hotel.

"What my maid carried him," said Miss Lorraine, "was the papers in my suit for separation. I just signed them in the office of my lawyer, Herman L. Roth. Freddie certainly helped me a lot by coming here and getting them."

Padded Himself to Be a Bold Burglar

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A man stuffed out almost like a circle clown, with a thick padding of newspapers and straw in the front and back of his trousers and shirt, was arrested in Harlem. He was William English, no home. The police say he planned a burglary and stuffed his clothing so if he had to leap to escape he would "land on something soft."

Forbes May Be N. Y. Police Head

W. Cameron Forbes of Milton, former Governor-General of the Philippines, was reported today to be under consideration by Mayor-elect John Purroy Mitchel of New York, for the office of Police Commissioner, soon to be vacated by Rhinelander Waldo.

D'Annunzio "Mona Lisa" Tale Spoiled

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Amusement has been caused by the dilemma in which Gabriele d'Annunzio finds himself. H. has been at work on a new novel, "The Man Who Stole the Gioconda." The famous Da Vinci picture having been found he has to look for another stolen picture story.

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KENNY TO OPEN CAMPAIGN IN SOUTH BOSTON

Brisk firing is expected to mark the fight for the Boston mayoralty from now on. Monday Thomas J. Kenny begins his first open campaigning in his own section of the city, South Boston. Three rallies are planned.

Despite Mayor Fitzgerald's announcement that he personally would remain neutral, it was the concensus of opinion that most of the Mayor's followers would back Kenny.

Councilman Earnest Smith having been definitely eliminated from the contest by Judge Sheldon's rulings that names with only the initials signed, not bearing the Christian name in full, could not be legally counted, great interest attached to the rumor that ex-Congressman John A. Kelliher was really in the fight to a finish.

"I believe I can win in a three-cornered contest," Kelliher declared.

Kenny invaded Curley's home ward and numbered among his hearers several members of the Tammany Club. He said:

"I desire to say that if I am elected Mayor I don't intend to go into City Hall and build up a political machine, nor do I intend to take the bread and butter away from any man. I further want to say, despite charges to the contrary, that no man in the employ of the city need be afraid of his job if I am elected and he performs his duties honestly and conscientiously. It will make no difference whether the man votes for or against me, I will harbor no ill-feeling against him."

Curley spoke at a meeting in South Boston planned to organize a campaign committee in his interests. He outlined a scheme for the improvement of South Boston, declaring he would give $1,000 toward a $1,000,000 fund to improve "that great extent of property on Dorchester avenue from Dover and Fourth street out to Andrew square" if 1,000 other public spirited men would aid him.

Mail Mrs. Merrill $700 Stolen Gems

Mrs. George A. Merrill of No. 1098 Washington street, who was robbed in her apartments two weeks ago of jewels valued at $1,800, has received through the mail part of the stolen gems, a package containing two diamond rings, a diamond pin and a gold chain, valued at $700. There are still missing a cameo pin, three diamond rings, single stone ring and one sapphire ring. Mrs. Merrill had her bag, containing her pocketbook, with the jewels in her apartments, when stolen while she was in a church vestry. The police are working on a clew given by Mrs. Merrill.

22 Somerville Boys Caught in Poolroom

Twenty-two Somerville youths, ranging in years from twelve to twenty-two, are giving bowling alleys and pool rooms a wide berth today, as a result of a lecture given them by Chief Kendall of the Somerville police, after they were caught having the time of their lives in the closed pool room of Frederick G. Day at No. 341 Somerville avenue, that city.

Roosevelt Making Animal Collection

RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 27.—President Da Fonseca of Brazil received a telegram from Colonel Roosevelt, who is gathering zoological specimens in Matto Grosso, announcing that the naturalists of the expedition had secured a splendid collection of animals.

Harvard Gets News of Delavan's Comet

Delavan's comet was observed by Professor H. C. Wilson of Northfield, Minn., and by Professor A. O. Leuschner of Berkeley, Cal., according to reports received at Harvard University. The perhalion passage of the comet, they say, will occur on the night of June 28.

Kitchener Not to Be Viceroy.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Times' Cairo correspondent says he is authorized to deny all rumors that Lord Kitchener, British agent in Egypt, will be appointed in the near future as Viceroy of India.

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PUBLIC ASKED FOR CHURCH DAY SUGGESTIONS

The churches of Greater Boston will be grouped for the observance of Go-to-Church Day on Sunday, February 8. Representative ministers in all sections of this city will plan for the day among the churches in their immediate neighborhood.

Every one who has anything to say about the work of the churches is invited to send it to the one in charge of the district. For this purpose, question boxes will be placed in many of the churches for the questions which are expected to be asked.

The Rev. A. H. Nazarian, D.D., pastor of the People's Temple, will call the official board of his church together next Monday and outline the plan for his church. Other boards in the various churches are planning for the same meetings.

"RESULT IN MUCH GOOD."

The Rev. Dr. E. C. E. Dorian, associate editor of Zion's Herald, in the current issue of that paper, thus refers to Go-to-Church Day:

"We note with interest that a movement is on foot to have a Church Attendance Day in Boston some time in February. The enlistment of the laymen and the opportunity to bring into touch with the church a large number of those who are now careless or indifferent should, result in much good, and also in much permanent fruit, if properly planned and carefully followed with judicious, well-directed pastoral work."

George E. Whittaker, a prominent church member and publisher of Zion's Herald, the Methodist weekly of Boston, said:

"Let every layman get into touch with this wave of church interest known as Go-to-Church Day. It is bound to do good. Let the non-church-goer ask questions of the ministers. It is well for this day to make evident the necessity of the church. You can find out more about the churches by attending them than by staying away and wondering what they are doing. Visit the church on Go-to-Church Day and keep going."

"DAY OF REFORMATION."

The Rev. J. H. Chaffee, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Dorchester, said:

"Help along this mighty cause, Go-to-Church Day. It will be another day of reformation in history. Let every one drop objections to the church and go again and find good in existence.

"Don't think that the church is old-fashioned. Encourage its growth and multiply its agencies for doing good."

The Rev. Joseph Sheerin, rector of St. Matthew Episcopal Church, South Boston, said:

"I do certainly believe in Go-to-Church-Day. If it gets people into the regular habit of going to church, to go as a result of curiosity on this day will be excused, if the person or persons will follow it up with something substantial.

"The churches are worth attending, but don't expect the churches to do everything. Go-to-Church-Day will get many people thinking in the right channel and I hope sincerely, keep them thinking there."

Publish Magazine for Tango Lovers

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The tango now has a periodical devoted to its interests. There has appeared No. 1, Vol. 1, of the Modern Dance Magazine, defender of the dip and a champion of self-expression. The editor of the publication is G. Hepburn Wilson, exponent of the maxixe and the turkey trot, who signs himself M. E., which stands for maitre de ballet. The editor says he "stands for progress."

China Plans Great Panama Exhibition

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Chu Ting Chai, special commissioner to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, is here to complete plans for China's exhibit.

"China is taking a keen interest in the exposition," Mr. Chu said, "and it is probable that the government's appropriation of $400,000 will be increased by private subscriptions.

Expect Fight Over Mrs. Young's Return

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Ella Flagg Young's return to Chicago today to take up her work as superintendent of schools is expected to start a legal battle, as John D. Shoop, who was elected her successor and later demoted, said he intended to retain the office.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit. Helps to eradicate dandruff. For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair. 50c. and $1.00 at druggists.

New Amazing Complication in Boston's Most Involved Divorce Suit

A surprising feminine turn in a most unusual matrimonial tangle follows the filing of a new suit.

TOLD IN TOMORROW'S

Sunday American

"King of the Loan Sharks" Driven Out of Boston

His business ruined, himself in jail and his victims avenged for the ruin and destruction that he has caused to the unfortunate poor.

A Remarkable New Play by a Boston Society Leader

A talented woman, known to all Boston, has produced something entirely new and absorbing in the drama. It will interest the children. An illustrated feature of this play will appear in tomorrow's Sunday AMERICAN.

Boston Banks Spend $100,000 to Collect $10,000

Talk about your intensive, efficient business. Here is a funny development of it, all because of a new law.

A Death Blow to the Food Dopesters

Harry P. Cassidy writes a story that will delight your pocketbook and your health, on the latest victory for honest food.

What Happened to Dorothy Arnold? Probably Slain to Conceal Abduction

New and tragic light on the unsolved mystery of the disappearance of the beautiful young heiress three years ago.

Evelyn Thaw's Own Story of Her Kaleidoscopic Career

Another instalment of this striking story, in which the young writer tells of a secret—"the greatest joy that can ever enrich a woman's life," as she tells it.

What is a Broken Heart Worth? Story of a $2,500,000 Lawsuit

The record price paid is $250,000 and the record price for a whole life only $60,000. A striking series of exhibits in human values, taken from real life.

And these are only a few of the features

IN TOMORROW'S

Sunday American

NEW ENGLAND MEN ALMOST UNITED FOR RESERVE BANK HERE

The movement to secure a regional reserve bank for Boston, which was put under way by the AMERICAN the day after the new currency bill was signed by President Wilson, has gathered such headway by this time —and Christmas was one day lost to the purpose — that Boston and New England bankers and business men are nearly all cemented into a solid demand for one of the new banks.

The Washington committee chosen to select the reserve banking cities will give hearings in Boston on January 5 and 6, it was announced today. At that time Boston's demand will be backed by overwhelming arguments.

One of the most significant developments is a flat statement by Colonel William A. Gaston, president of the Shawmut National Bank. He says:

"I am heartily in favor of a regional reserve bank for Boston."

Colonel Gaston made this statement to the AMERICAN right after a meeting of the National Shawmut directors, at which it was voted to accept the provisions of the new Glass-Owens currency law.

The sentiment of the directors, in regard to a regional bank for Boston, was that Boston should not be the tail end of any banking movement, with New York at the head.

In other words, they feel that Boston should never be the tail of any New York financial kite, which would be the situation if Boston has to be served by a New York regional bank.

Mayor Fitzgerald, just back at City Hall after an illness of three weeks, has called a conference of bankers, business men and public officials for Monday at which the growing sentiment is to crystalize into insistent demand on Washington.

WALSH TO AID PLANS.

Governor-elect Walsh, who will be at the Mayor's conference, is already exerting all his influence with friends at Washington to land one of the regional banks for Boston.

The AMERICAN is being thanked by scores of bankers and business men for getting after the regional bank idea so quickly. President Harry W. Cumner of the Boylston National Bank voiced the idea thus:

"I hope all the Boston newspapers will follow the AMERICAN in this movement."

President Joseph H. O'Neil of the Federal Trust Company says that Boston must have one of the regional banks. But President O'Neil sounds warning that it may mean a stiff fight, in the face of the competition from other live cities which seek to secure one of the banks.

Among those who are or will be invited to Mayor Fitzgerald's conference Monday are Boston bankers, members of the Boston congressional delegation — United States Senators Henry F. Hollis of New Hampshire and John W. Weeks of Massachusetts, both on the Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, and Senator Charles F. Johnson of Maine, on the Senate Committee on National Banks.

Senator Hollis has already wired **the AMERICAN** from Washington that he will do all he can and that he has no doubt Boston will be designated as the location of one of the regionals.

Congressman William F. Murray, who is home for Christmas, sent the following telegram to Secretary McAdoo:

APPEALS TO M'ADOO.

Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, Washington, D. C.:

Boston aroused over need of and demand for regional reserve bank here. I feel that Boston must have such bank. New England is distinctively a region from standpoint of geography, history, soil, commerce and industry. Boston is its centre. Boston is also third financial centre of the nation.

I feel that for Boston not to have a reserve bank would work to its disadvantage. City and State have spent millions within past few years in developing city and section, and my belief is that failure to give Boston reserve bank may prove a great blow.

WILLIAM F. MURRAY,
Congressman.

The endorsement of the AMERICAN'S fight grows hourly. Characteristic interviews from bankers and others run as follows:

President Harry W. Cumner of the Boylston National Bank:

"We should have a regional bank in Boston by all means. I hope all the Boston newspapers will follow the AMERICAN in this movement. The press ought to be united on so good a cause and agitate it until a regional bank becomes a certainty in our city.

"If we don't get a reserve bank here it will mean that New England bankers will have to depend upon New York in a large measure. This would be a big inconvenience to say the least. Any business requires a handy headquarters. A regional bank would be a convenient headquarters for the financial interests of New England and everything possible should be done by bankers, newspapers and public-spirited men to bring it about."

WOULD SAVE TIME.

President Russell G. Fessenden of the American Trust Company:

"If we can possibly get a regional bank in Boston we ought to make it a reality. It would be a great thing. It would make Boston a far more important city. It would be a stimulant to financial interests throughout New England.

"It would mean greater convenience. Without it Boston bankers would have to cash through New York. It would be much easier and more expeditious to send a messenger to the reserve headquarters a few blocks away instead of sending paper to New York and await its return Time and trouble would be saved by a regional bank. I hope we get one."

Collector of the Port Edmund Billings, a director in the Paul Revere Trust Company:

Stream of Leaders Headed for Wilson

PASS CHRISTIAN, Miss., Dec. 27.—Though President Wilson has mapped out a plan for complete rest during his three weeks vacation here it became known today that a stream of Democratic politicians is expected to flow and ebb during the national Executive's stay. The rush was slated to begin today, with the arrival of Colonel Robert Ewing, national committeeman from Louisiana.

The President went golfing again today and then turned his attention to work. He has received an invitation to visit the Confederate Veterans' Home near Biloxi. Jefferson Davis' old home, "Beauvoir," is just west of Biloxi, and the President probably will pay a visit there next week.

United Shoe Seeks to End U. S. Suit

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The United Shoe Machinery Company, the so-called "shoe trust," is seeking a settlement of the prosecution against it now before the Federal court at Boston on terms similar to those secured by the American Telephone & Telegraph Company. The defendants have asked for a stay of proceedings and intimated they are willing to surrender their patents to general lease in the trade and open the shoe manufacturing field to free competition.

Girl Is Arrested as Head of Robber Band

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Miss Elizabeth Baker, dressed in the height of fashion, was arrested to day as the leader of a band of eight men who have accumulated more than $6,000 worth of stolen property. The eight alleged robbers were arrested also. Confessions, the detectives said, were obtained from two of the men indicating that Miss Baker planned their raids.

Expel Writer of Story of Beilis

KIEV, Dec. 27.—Boris Berland, the International News Service representative at the trial of Mendel Beilis, who was arrested on December 22 after he had secured an interview from the man acquitted of the "ritual murder," was today released and expelled from the city. The arrest was made to prevent the publication of Beilis' version of the trial.

Guests Driven Out by Cleveland Fire

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27. — Thirty families and eighty guests at the Perry Hotel were driven into the street today by a $10,000 fire. In the same block are the Perry Theatre and a branch of the Cleveland Trust Company and several stores and family suites.

King George to Make State Visit to Paris

LONDON Dec. 27.—If present arrangements hold good, King George and Queen Mary will pay a state visit to Paris next Spring, remaining there for a week. It is their intention to take Princess Mary with them.

Connaughts Plan Trip to Frisco Fair

LONDON, Dec. 27.—It is said by those close to the Duke of Connaught that in the early Spring, accompanied by the Duchess and Princess Patricia, he may inspect the site and preparations at San Francisco for the Panama Exhibition in 1915.

UNANIMOUS!

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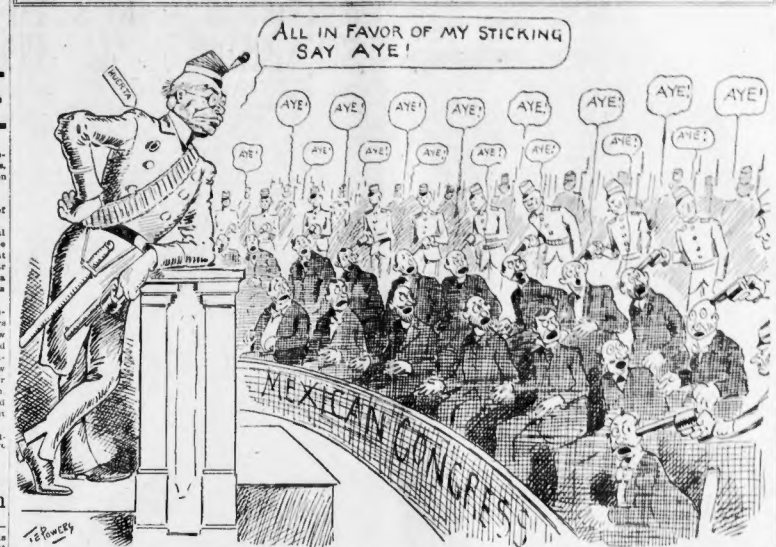

Oppose La Follette Seamen's Measure

The committee on maritime affairs of the Boston Chamber of Commerce has submitted a report on the La-Follette Seamen's Bill to the board or directors. The chairman of the committee, William C. Brewer, said today that he could not divulge the nature of the report, but it is known that the members of the committee are strongly opposed to the passage of the bill and that they have urged quick action on the part of the directors. Chairman Brewer characterizes the bill as "ridiculous."

The American agents of foreign steamship companies are trying to arrange a hearing before the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, which has the bill in charge. They say the bill will work irreculiable injury to overseas shipping and strike a blow to American commerce from which it will take years to recover.

Montreal Suffers from Water Famine

MONTREAL, Dec. 27.—More than 100,000 persons here are suffering from a water famine. Manufacturing plants are shut down, water carts are delivering supplies to hospitals, while many citizens are melting snow, as the result of a sixty-foot break in the main water supply conduit. The greatest danger is from fire.

Girl Finds Poison Needle in Sleeve

NEW YORK, Dec 27.—Alois F. Kerklen, treasurer of a chemical company, reported an unsuccessful attempt to make his sister Margaret, twenty-three, a poison needle victim. He gave to the police the needle of a hypodermic syringe which he said his sister had found caught in the sleeve of her coat.

Paris Men Dye Their Hair Blue! Fiche!

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Several male fashion leaders of Paris appeared in theatres last night with their hair dyed. Blue and violet were the most popular hues. The idea is an echo of the new fad among certain Parisian ladies of wearing wigs to match their gowns.

Dowager Duchess of Sutherland to Wed

LONDON, Dec. 27.—After a period of mourning, society hears that Millicent, Dowager Duchess of Sutherland, a famous beauty and half sister of the Countess of Warwick, will marry the Hon. Evelyn Fitzgerald, a stock exchange bachelor.

Francis Scott Key's Descendant in Want

WASHINGTON Dec. 27.—Mrs. A. McDonald Blair, aged granddaughter of Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star Spangled Banner," is destitute here.

Stork Is Visitor to Stork Family

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Stork were visited by the Stork and presented with a little Stork.

HOW ABOUT THE EGG PROBLEM? TRIED IT YET?

Have you tried the "egg problem?" Hundreds have. Why don't you sit down and try it? Here it is:

A man had three sons. He gave to one non ten eggs; to a second son, thirty eggs, and to a third son, fifty eggs. All the boys sold their eggs at the same prices and realized the same amount of money. At what price did they sell and how much did they realize?

Send your answer to the Mathematical Editor of the AMERICAN. You may solve this perplexing little problem. At any rate you will have a whole lot of fun out of it. Here are some of the answers received:

Editor AMERICAN: A sold 7 for 1 cent and had 3 eggs left. B sold 28 for 4 cents and had 2 eggs left. C sold 9 for 7 cents and had 1 egg left. They now advanced the price to 2 cents each. A had 4 eggs left, which are sold at 3 cents, added to his 1 cent, making a total of 10 cents. B had 2 eggs left, which are sold at 5 cents, added to his 4 cents, making a total of 10 cents. C had 1 egg left, which is sold at 3 cents, added to his 7 cents, making a total of 10 cents. F. A. BRACKETT, Wollaston.

Editor AMERICAN: The three sons went to one store and sold their eggs 7 for 1 cent. The oldest sold 7 cents worth, or 49 eggs, leaving 1. The second son sold 4 cents worth, 7 for 1 cent, or 28 eggs, with 2 left. The youngest son sold 1 cent worth, or 7 eggs, and had 2 left. They then went to another store and sold their eggs at 3 cents each. The oldest sold his 1 egg for 3 cents, making a total of 10 cents for 50 eggs. The second son sold his remaining 2 for 6 cents, making a total of 10 cents. The youngest son sold his remaining 2 eggs for 3 cents, which, with his other cent, makes a total of 10 cents.—THOMAS PENDERGAST, Portsmouth, N. H.

Editor AMERICAN: One boy has 10 eggs, sells 7 for 1 cent and has 1 cent and 3 eggs left. He sells remaining 3 for 3 cents each. Three times 3 equals 9, plus 1, equals 10 cents. Second boy has 20 eggs. He sells 7 for 1 cent. He sells 4 cents worth, or 28 eggs, leaving him 4 cents and 2 eggs. Sells remaining 2 for 2 cents each. Twice 2 equals 4, plus 4, equals 10 cents. Third boy has 50 eggs and sells his 7 for 1 cent. He sells 7 cents worth, or 49 eggs, leaving him 7 cents and 1 egg. He sells remaining eggs for 3 cents. Seven and 3 equal 10 cents.—GEORGE CRESSEY, Holyoke.

Britain Denies Landing Marines

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The British Foreign Office denied today the report of the landing of British marines near the border of Mexico in British Honduras. It was stated, however, that it was within the discretion of the British Admiral commanding to take any steps necessary to protect British interests.

Declare That Tango Is Taught in Schools

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 27.—That the tango is taught in the public schools of Portland was the charge made at a session of the School Board, preceding a demand on the part of a number of ministers that dancing of all sorts be eliminated from the schools.

Symphony Program Pleases Audience

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

A merry Christmas program had been arranged for this week by Dr. Muck, and orchestra as well as audience enjoyed the Symphony rehearsal yesterday.

Beginning with the Prelude to "Hansel und Gretel," the program passed to "Mother Goose," set to music by a serious minded modern French composer, named Raval, the Watchman's Song Fantasy by Juon, a Russian writer, a clever setting of three Danish melodies, Berlioz's "Rob Roy" overture and the Mendelssohn Concerto in E Minor for violin.

The Raval setting of Mother Goose is in five parts, each a narrative of a well known fairy tale, the Sleeping Beauty, Hop O' My Thumb, the Empress of the Pagodes, the Beauty and the Beast, and the Fairy Garden.

This music is dainty, sweet, tuneful, but not too much so, and atmospheric, agreeable as a novelty, not to be taken too seriously.

The Juon Fantasy is much more ably music, three fine Danish folk songs in a masterly setting.

The soloist, Sylvain Noack, a most valuable member of the orchestra, played the concerto with fine effect.

Frisco Now Meat Centre of Pacific

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Just as Chicago is the meat centre of the Middle West and East. So is San Francisco rapidly becoming the meat centre of the Pacific slope. During the past ten years the value of meat-packing products in the metropolitan district of San Francisco has increased $11,432,295, or 120.4 per cent, according to a bulletin on statistics relating to the metropolitan districts of thirteen of the largest cities in the United States, soon to be issued by Director W. J. Harris of the Department of Commerce.

New Haven Trains Make the Best Time

New York kept tabs on all trains run within the State in the month of October, to see what railroads best live up to their schedules. The percentage of trains "on time" were as follows:

New Haven, 87 per cent.
New York Central, 82 per cent.
Boston & Albany, 80 per cent.
Boston & Maine, 79 per cent.
Lake Shore, 66 per cent.
Pennsylvania, 66 per cent.

Wants Poison Pills in Triangular Form

The Rev. Roland D. Sawyer of Ware has petitioned for legislation that all poisons sold in tablets shall be triangular in form and all poisons in bottles shall be in triangular bottles.

He says the purpose is to prevent the taking of such substances as bichloride of mercury by mistake.

BUY OF US
HUB-MARK
RUBBERS
HUB
BUBVE STERLING STORES
Boston
Lynn
Worcester
Brockton
Lowell
Haverhill
Salem
Fall River
New Bedford
Taunton
Springfield
Holyoke

Xmas Box Sent by Thaw Thought Bomb

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A suspicious looking box was received through the mail by Sheriff Doyle. At first he feared it might contain a bomb and was about to soak it in water when he saw the postmark and "Merry Xmas from Harry K. Thaw" on it. It held two boxes of cigars.

$100,000 Radium Injection in Man

BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.—It was learned today that Congressman Bremner of New Jersey spent his Christmas in Baltimore with $100,000 worth of radium temporarily imbedded in his left shoulder in the hope that it would destroy a cancerous growth.

WHAT SOCIETY PEOPLE IN THE HUB ARE DOING

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

One of the very standing young matrons of Boston society this season, and one whose beautiful gowns are always much admired wherever she appears, is Mrs. Percy Haughton, who with her husband is for the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frothingham at "Overlea," Lenox. The Haughtons will be guests today at the wedding there of Miss Frances Frothingham Folsom, who is a cousin of Mrs. Haughton, and Cleveland Bigelow.

The wedding is the great social event of today, and New York and Boston society is well represented. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Winthrop Folsom (Frances Fuller) at whose beautiful estate, "Sunnyside," Lenox, the wedding breakfast takes place. The bride is a member of the Lenox Golf and Tennis Clubs and is a prime favorite in both New York and Boston's most exclusive sets.

Mr. Bigelow is one of the five sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Bigelow (Mary Bryant) of Commonwealth avenue and a brother of Mrs. John Lewis Bremer (Mary Bigelow). At the wedding breakfast, which will follow the ceremony, over 100 guests will be present.

Miss Barbara Burr of Boston is to be among the bridal attendants, the others being Miss M. Willie Alexandre and Miss Nannie Duval of New York and Miss Nina Gaither of Baltimore, Md. Gorham Brooks of Beacon street will be the best man and the ushers will be I. Wistar Kendall and Samuel M. Henckley of New York, and the Messrs. E. Clarence Hovey, Jr., Robert Winsor, Jr., Benjamin Joy and Walter H. Bradley, Jr., of Boston. The officiating clergyman will be the Rev. Arthur J. Gammach of Trinity Church, Lenox, and Bishop Thomas Frederick Davies of Springfield. Upon their return from the honeymoon Mr. Bigelow and his bride will be with his parents, the Joseph S. Bigelows, at their Commonwealth avenue home until they decide upon a future home for themselves.

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On Tuesday evening, December 30, the Second Assembly of the Gamma Delta Psi Fraternity will be held in Dorchester Hall, Brookline, when a large number of Brookline and Back Bay society young people will attend. The patronesses are Mrs. Charles W. Eglee, Mrs. George P. Faxon, Mrs. Edward J. Stewart, Mrs. Sullivan A. Mason, Mrs. Charles H. Talbot and Mrs. Harry B. Trainer.

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Mr. and Mrs. George B. DeForest came to Boston from Newport and were guests over Christmas of Dr. and Mrs. William Appleton.

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Sunday, January 4, there will be music and afternoon tea at the Business Women's Club, State House Park, from 4.30 to 6.30 p. m.

Russell Hearing Tuesday.

The hearing in the Supreme Court on the finding of Master Pevey in the Russell will case is again postponed, this time going over to next Tuesday.

FAREWELLS BY TWO PASTORS TOMORROW

Rev. C. A. Vincent, D. D., pastor of the Immanuel Walnut Avenue Congregational Church, will preach his farewell sermon tomorrow morning. He has accepted the charge of a church in Washington, D. C.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Earle closes his pastorate of the Bayside Street Baptist Church on Sunday.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Page Bible Class will be observed at noon tomorrow in the Dudley Street Baptist Church.

On New Year's Eve in Dudley Street Baptist, the C. E. Union of Roxbury will hold a watch meeting. There will be addresses by Rev. Drs. Fulton, Campbell, Rhodes and Vincent.

Trumpeters will welcome the New Year on the steps of St. Paul's Cathedral at the watch night service, beginning at 11 p. m.

"Leaving Behind the Old Year" is the topic of Dr. Cortland Myers' Sunday evening sermon in Tremont Temple.

Rev. Dr. Herbert S. Johnson will talk upon the subject "Does the World Grow Better," at the Warren Avenue Baptist Church, Sunday evening.

Bishop Lawrence will preach Sunday morning at Emmanuel Church, Newbury street.

"What We Owe to the Jew" is the topic for the sermon at the First Presbyterian Church, Columbus avenue, by the pastor, Rev. Dr. William M. Taylor, Sunday evening.

Edwin D. Mead will deliver an address on "Buddha's Feast" to the citizenship class tomorrow at 12.15 p. m. in the vestry of the South Congregational Society, Exeter street.

HOTEL LENOX
New Year's Eve
December 31, 1913
Table d'Hote Supper
$4.00 per Cover
Special Attractions and Music
Tables May Now Be Reserved
Phone 2680 Back Bay
P. F. Brine
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Boom Your Business While 1913 Lasts

Make 1914 the biggest year in your business history.

Begin now by making the remainder of 1913 unusually busy hours for this season.

Frame an advertisement featuring your carried over Christmas goods.

Put prices down as low as possible.

Elevate values. Talk about them—take big space.

People are still gift-shopping—buying New Year remembrances.

They are alert for buying opportunities.

Post-Christmas advertisers are attracting their profitable patronage.

Now is when added dividends are paid on all December advertising.

Now is opportunity time for you.

But it is brief.

Action is the word—this hour!

BOSTON AMERICAN
A Personal Power with 400,000 Responsive Readers

Prices Cured in 5 to 15 Days. Prompt relief from Kidney, Bladder and Urinary troubles in our Hyde Park Hospital. Booklet free. Dr. Pierce Pile Cure Co., 1 Pierce Pile Cure Co., 1 Pierce Pile Cure Co., 1

Here's Absolute and Unassailable Proof of the Mexican Atrocities

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The American Press Association, which supplied this picture to the Boston AMERICAN, describes it as follows:

"This picture was taken in Torreon. It shows two brothers, non-combatants, who refused to supply money to rebels. One of them has been shot down as an example to the other, who is standing in the doorway, handkerchief in hand, weeping at his brother's fate. One of the assassins is seen firing a last shot into their victims." The second brother was shot later.

MORE FOREIGNERS SLAIN BY MEXICANS

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 27.—Two foreigners and eight Mexicans have been summarily executed by General Villa, the Constitutionalist leader, since his occupation of Chihuahua, according to dispatches received here. Mr. Jose Gonzales and Augustin Morales, Spanish merchants, were the foreigners shot to death. They and the Mexicans, who were prominent business men, were accused of having aided General Huerta.

The jails in Chihuahua are filled with political prisoners, while a number of prominent sympathizers with the Huerta regime are missing, and it is believed they also have been put to death.

Advices filtering through from Torreon say that a reign of terror exists in that city. The Federals are arresting all rebel sympathizers. Hundreds of persons have already been taken in custody and many of them have been shot for siding with the Constitutionalists.

REBELS SURROUND TORREON.

Editor the Boston AMERICAN:

CHIHUAHUA, Dec. 27.—The Constitutionalist forces are completely surrounding the city of Torreon and the outlying towns of Gomez, Palacio and Lerdo. General Velasco's Federal forces are entirely cut off from communication in every way with the outside world.

General Velasco made an attempt to carry a sortie north and did succeed in getting as far as the railroad station of Noe, but was driven back and is again shut up in Torreon.

FRANCISCO VILLA.
Commander-in-chief of the Constitutionalist army of the north.

HALT FIGHTING AT TAMPICO.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—Government advices today state that the rebels have abandoned temporarily their attack on Tampico and are directing their energies to capture Monterey and Saltillo. A sufficient force of rebels, however, was left at Tampico to keep the garrison there bottled up.

Reports of a severe engagement near Cardenas was received today. The rebels and troops from San Luis have been fighting desperately for more than twenty-four hours, but the result of the battle is in doubt.

All railroad communication north of San Luis and between San Luis and Tampico has been cut off by the rebels.

JAPAN MAKES PROTEST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Japan, through its ambassador, told the State Department diplomatically but plainly today, it was tired of the administration's repeated offers of protection to foreigners that did not protect. Baron Chinda called the attention of the United States to the unprotected condition of Japanese citizens in Mexico, who are supposed to be protected by this government. Special attention was directed to the Japanese at Juarez and Chihuahua.

Baron Chinda, after his call at the State Department, admitted he had called to present the case of his countrymen and hoped that the present "appeal" would be effective. "Japan being so far away," he added, "has been depending on the United States for the proper protection of its citizens."

Fifty Japanese military officers have requested permission through the special Mexican embassy now in Tokio to enlist in the service of the Mexican army.

PROOF OF ATROCITIES.

Some free lunch editors who have been fed at the White House have been disposed to doubt the genuineness of atrocities reported committed in Mexico, and inclined to deny the fact that atrocities have been committed in order to support the woeful Wilson policy of watchful waiting.

The public generally, and independent editors whose policy is not influenced by free food, will be interested in the proof furnished by a properly authenticated photograph presented in the AMERICAN today that the stories of atrocities in Mexico have not been overdrawn.

HUNDREDS ARE AMERICANS.

Not only have the worst terrifying atrocities been perpetrated upon the native inhabitants of Mexico, but on August 25 of the present year a list of 125 Americans murdered without cause in Mexico, was or fell in the United States Embassy in Mexico.

Since that time numerous other Americans, Englishmen and Germans have been murdered in Mexico.

Complete details of these barbarities are now on file with the State Department in Washington.

The Secretary of State has taken official cognizance of many of these outrages against Americans by filing formal protests with the Mexican authorities.

The State Department, however, refuses to make public the complete list.

M. A. Leach of San Francisco, accompanied by Representative Kahn of California, officially laid before Secretary of State Bryan, August 6, his personal experience at the capture of Durango, on June 13, by the Mexican revolutionists. After telling how the victorious rebels sacked the saloons, Mr. Leach furnished these details:

"All prisoners from jails and the State penitentiary were turned loose and all criminal and land records were burned. Not content with this, all houses were entered and much loot taken and damage done. Scores of Mexicans were shot down and dragged through the streets.

"Roger Palmer, an Englishman, was killed because he failed to open a safe to which he did not have the combination.

"Carlos von Brandis, a wealthy mining man, and L. W. Elder, owner of a large hacienda, both Americans, were severely wounded by a bomb used to force the door of the McDonald Institute, where many of the foreigners had assembled by prearrangement for their mutual protection. All inside, some 150 in number, were then lined up against the wall and threatened with execution unless a certain sum of money was immediately raised and all horses, arms and ammunition were delivered. The foreigners were forced to do as told to save their lives.

"H. W. Stapp, a civil engineer, and an American, was shot through one leg because he failed to pay over the sum of 500 pesos which he did not have.

"A. W. Luerliant, a British subject, owner of a large hacienda, was taken out of the his home and after being conducted to the outskirts of the city through the main streets was stripped of all his clothing, badly beaten, shot in the side and left for dead.

"A large number of women sought safety in the Archbishop's palace."

Charges Turkey Bill of $25.55 to Watson

Councilman "Jerry" Watson wants to know the name of the person who charged up seventy-three pounds of the best turkey at 35 cents a pound to his account and then forgot to tell him anything about it.

"Jerry" received a bill for $25.55 and called up the marketman who fell for the "Watson" order. He discovered that some person had called over the telephone from the State House and ordered the turkey, giving his name as Councilman Watson.

Fear Brooklyn Girl Has Been Kidnaped

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Brooklyn is looking for another missing girl. Esther Ackerman, thirteen, left her home at No. 726 De Kalb avenue for school Monday and her mother fears she was picked up by kidnapers.

Shoplifter Wife of Wealthy Man

The identity of "Mary Sargent," a richly-dressed woman who cheerfully paid a fine of $10 for shoplifting in the Municipal Court, is a mystery.

Investigations have determined the fact that not only was the woman well known in the uptown department store where she was arrested, but that she even had a charge account at the place. She declared upon her arrest that the police would never discover her identity and that her husband, who is said to be a wealthy resident of Beacon street, near the Brookline line would never learn of her arrest.

Ex-U. S. Marshal Dies.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 27.—John E. Kendrick, a well-known manufacturer, is dead at his home in Meshanticut Park, aged fifty-nine. He was United States marshal of this State from 1892 to 1908.

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READ WILEY'S STORY IN GOOD HOUSEKEEPING

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, in the January Good Housekeeping, tells the story of the coloring of tea. Mr. Cassidy has aided Dr. Wiley at all times in the famous pure food exponent's fight against the color fraud. He gives you today a short abstract from Dr. Wiley's article.

By HARRY P. CASSIDY.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, in the January issue of Good Housekeeping, tells every housewife how she can tell whether or not tea is colored.

In his article "Taking the Paint from Tea," Dr. Wiley gives credit to a woman, Dr. Read of the federal bureau of chemistry, for winning the sixty-year fight for pure tea.

Dr. Wiley says, "I have long held the opinion that the artificial coloring of foods is essentially fraudulent, intended to conceal inferiority or deceive the purchaser in some way.

"Hence my life-long battle against colored butter, reddened ketchup and preserves, bleached flour and painted teas. Little by little I have seen my gospel bear fruit."

The doctor then goes on to say that the first pure food law in the United States related to teas. Sixty years ago Congress passed a law to prevent the importation of adulterated teas.

WOMAN MAKES DISCOVERY.

He tells how the adulterators and users of color thought that "just a little" would escape detection. They forgot, however, the woman with the microscope.

Dr. Read, with her glass, devised a simple way to detect the color. It is so simple any housewife can do the experiment.

Take an ounce or two of tea and sift it through a sieve with meshes of from sixteen to twenty-four to the centimeter (40.6 inch). If the tea is tightly rolled, it should be slightly crushed, either before putting it into the sieve or by rubbing it against the sieve.

Sift the tea and dust on a piece of unglazed white paper. Draw over the tea an ordinary knife, greasing the blade the while. This crushes not only the tea dust but any particles of color which may be present.

The process of dragging the knife across the paper smears the color, making it more easily seen.

"A black streak would suggest carbon," says Dr. Read. "The blue may be Prussian blue, indigo or ultramarine. And a yellow streak suggests turmeric. The carbon can be determined by its glossy appearance, but the chemist must be called in to determine the other colors."

So drastically has the law for pure tea been enforced that the Chinese government has issued an official proclamation to tea growers, warning them not to color any teas for importation to this country.

BLEACHING OF FLOUR.

A small magnifying glass will be found a great help to a housekeeper performing the experiment.

Dr. Wiley also raps the practice of bleaching flour to please the eye and cheat the stomach. He decries the present practice of whitening flour until it has been robbed of its vitalising minerals.

Get a copy of Good Housekeeping and read Dr. Wiley's article.

LAX INSPECTION OF MEAT HEALTH MENACE, DECLARES DR. ROWLEY

The health of thousands of people in Greater Boston is jeopardised by abuses in regard to the inspection of meat, according to Dr. Francis H. Rowley, president of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

"There is federal inspection in Brighton, Somerville and Watertown, but there are numerous slaughter houses just outside Boston where only local inspection prevails," he said today.

"The system of 'local inspection' is a farce. Boys are appointed as inspectors, and men of any trade. Usually they are appointed by the town, and their appointments are approved by the State Board of Health.

"These inspectors are supposed to pass upon the cattle before they are slaughtered and afterwards to look out for disease and unfitness. This would be very well if it were done, but this is what happens: Inspectors often see the cattle only when the quarters are already hung up ready for market.

"They stamp them as 'fit' without any examination—often when they are quite unfit. These animals are shipped to Boston, for food for our poorer people.

Sunday Dinner Cost Lower This Week

Market quotations on Sunday dinner supplies today make better reading for housewives than for weeks. Turkeys are 20 cents and lower a pound and eggs have dropped to 45 and 50 cents. Chickens are 23 cents a pound at many places.

Lamb is down to 18 cents for hind quarters, 13 for fore quarters, loins 22 and hind legs 20. Cod and haddock are 8 and 10 cents respectively. Frozen swordfish is 20 cents.

Thinks Fire Alarm Mail Box.

Pittsfield, Dec. 27.—A young woman from Canaan, N. Y., mistook a fire alarm box for a mail box and sounded an alarm. She had never seen a fire alarm box before.

CONTENTMENT COMES FROM a full stomach and good health. Our incomparable food and prompt service give that feeling. Satisfaction and economy are the soldiers' part of our fine dining rooms and cafes.
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Two Great Bargain Aisles That Are the Talk of New England

This Big Economy Event is anxiously awaited by many thousands of our customers. Vast quantities of brand new, trustworthy and desirable White Goods of every description, consisting of sample lines, surplus stocks and discontinued numbers, fresh from the manufacturers, have been gathered he to make this sale exceed all records. You cannot afford to miss such a rare feast of bargains—everything marked at mere fractions of their regular values. Thrifty and thoughtful housewives will see in this Great Sale the biggest opportunity of the season to practice true economy and provide for future needs.

24 Great Bargain Tables, Filled with as Many Wonderful Values

Vast Quantities of Snowy-White Cotton Underwear

Including the Surplus Stock of the Famous *"Chic"* Undermuslins, of Lowell, Mass.

All Marked at the Lowest Prices of the Entire Season

Famous as this Great Basement Store is for underwear bargains, this January Sale far excels all others, both in the enormous quantities of goods offered and the sensationally low prices. Needless to say that this big department will be crowded to its capacity Monday morning, with thrifty shoppers eager to take advantage of the most extraordinary bargains in inexpensive Cotton Underwear this city has ever known.

69c and 79c Muslin Gowns, high, V and low neck, lace and embroidery trimmed, 16, 16, 17 **49c**

69c Krinkle Crepe Gowns, cut good and full. Sizes 15, 16 and 17 **37½c**

39c to 50c Muslin Drawers 29c
1.00 French Hand Embroidered Chemise 59c
1.00 Princess Slips 69c
1.50 to 2.00 Princess Slips 98c
2.98 Princess Slips 1.98
Children's 15c Muslin Drawers 9c
Children's 50c Nightgowns 39c
Children's 25c Muslin Drawers 15c

79c Crepe Combinations, trimmed with fine lace **55c**

1.00 Imported Drawers, prettily hand embroidered, **49c**

69c Muslin Skirts, deep flounce of embroidery and underruffle **39c**
1.50 and 2.00 Muslin Skirts, lace and embroidery trimmed **98c**
1.50 to 2.00 Combinations 1.29
19c Muslin Drawers 12½c
25c Muslin Drawers 19c

1.00 Imported French Corset Covers, hand embroidered in attractive patterns **49c**

Children's and Misses' 1.00 Cotton Pajamas, in a variety of pretty colors **49c**
39c Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed **25c**
69c French Hand-Embroidered Corset Covers **39c**
39c and 50c Muslin Drawers, trimmed with embroidery, open and closed **29c**
1.00 Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Skirts **69c**
89c Crepe Skirts, tailored style with underlay **37½c**

1.00 and 1.50 Muslin Nightgowns, high, V and low neck, run with ribbon, lace and embroidery trimmed **69c**

50c Muslin Combinations, drawers and skirt style, lace and embroidery trimmed **39c**
2.00 and 2.50 Muslin Gowns, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery **1.29**
19c and 25c French and Tight-Fitting Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, 34 to 44 **12½c**
25c Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed **19c**

1.00 Muslin and Crepe Combinations, lace and embroidery trimmed **69c**

White Goods

25c White Goods, soiled muslins, madras, and coarse dress linen **15c**
15c White Goods, soiled muslins, madras, crepes and voiles **9c**
17c Pique, in seconds **10c**
12½c Soiled Muslins, madras and imitation of linen **7c**
Small lot of 10c Checked Dimities **5c**

Men's Underwear

Men's 1.50 Union Suits, interlock, medium weight balbriggan, long sleeves, ankle length, seconds **98c**
Men's 1.00 Heavy Weight Jersey Rib Cotton Union Suits, long sleeve, ankle length, seconds **69c**
Men's 1.00 Medium Weight Balbriggan Union Suits, long sleeve, ankle length **75c**
Men's 1.00 Medium Weight Silk Finish Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, shirts long sleeve, drawers regular and short, stouts **65c**
Men's 1.00 Medium Weight Jersey Rib Wool Shirts and Drawers, long sleeve shirts, regular length drawers **59c**
Men's 1.50 Broken Sizes of Shirts and Drawers, in natural and camel's hair **79c**

Embroideries

10c to 15c Skirtings, edges and insertions **8c**
50c to 75c Insertions and Bandings, on fine French muslin and nainsook **39c**
37½c to 50c Values for **25c**
59c 27-inch Flouncings, eyelet and showy effects **42c**
1.50 45-inch Flouncings, in odd lengths and slightly soiled **98c**
37½c Skirtings and Corset Cover Hamburgs **23c**
98c 45-inch Flouncings, on fine muslin **69c**
75c Allover Hamburgs, large and small patterns **55c**
25c Fancy Tea Aprons, slightly soiled **19c**
50c Coverall and Princess Aprons, made of shirting cloth, a variety of colors **37½c**

Corsets

3.00 C. B. Corsets, fine imported coutil, long skirt, reinforced through front, sizes 18 to 27 **2.98**
1.50 and 2.00 Thompson's and American Lady Corsets, new models **1.69**
1.00 and 1.50 C. B., P. N., and other popular makes, factory seconds and discontinued numbers **98c**
50c to 1.00 Warner Brassieres, cross back and hook front, size 38 **69c**

Lace Curtains

5.00 and 6.00 Irish Point Curtains, handsome borders, pair **3.98**
1.75 Irish Point Curtains, novelty borders, now only a pair **1.24**
1.00 Dutch Style Scrim Curtains, set **49c**
1.50 Imported Madras Curtains, white or cream color, pair **98c**

Lace Curtains

2.00 Cluny Lace Curtains, linen edge and insertion, pair **1.39**
1.50 Dutch Style Scrim Curtains, set **98c**
75c Scrim Curtains, hemstitched band, lace edge, pair **49c**
50c to 1.00 Half Pair Curtains, in cable net and scrim, many alike, each **29c**

Lace Curtains

1.98 Voile Scrim Curtains, edge and insertion, arab or white, pair **1.29**
20c Imported Curtain Madras, for long or sash curtains, yard **12½c**
15c Curtain Scrim, arab, cream or white, yard **9c**
20c Muslin Sash Curtains, pair **12½c**

Bed Clothing

2.50 Blankets, full size bed, gray only **1.75**
2.98 Plaid Blankets, full size bed, pretty patterns **2.19**
3.50 White Wool and Cotton Blankets **2.69**
1.25 Full Size Cotton Filled Comfortables, Persian design **95c**
2.50 Full Size Cotton Filled Comfortables, Persian design **1.69**
3.75 Full Size Wool Filled Comfortables, plain borders **2.29**
1.75 Crochet Bedspreads, full size, Marseilles design **1.29**
2.25 Crochet Spreads, full size, scalloped edges or fringed **1.59**

Laces

37½c White and Ecru Shadow Lace Flouncing, 16 inch **25c**
50c to 65c White and Ecru Shadow Lace Flouncing, 18 to 22 in. or over **35c**
75c White Shadow Lace Flouncing, 18 to 22 inch **50c**
1.00 White Shadow Lace Flouncing, 22 inch **69c**
1.25 to 2.25 White Silk Shadow Lace Flouncing, 18 to 27 inch **98c**
6.50 White Beaded Net Tunics **3.50**

Cottons

95c Sheets, 81x99, for large beds, fine quality cotton **75c**
69c Sheets, 81x90, large bed size, heavy quality cotton **55c**
55c Bleached Cotton Sheets, center seam, good quality **39c**
12½c Bleached Cotton Pillowcases, standard make, 42x36 **10c**
22c Fine Quality Bleached Cotton Pillowcases, 42x36 **16c**
11c 40-inch Unbleached Cotton, fine quality, yard **9c**
12½c 36-inch Bleached Cotton, standard make, 10 to 20 yard lengths, yard **9½c**

Neckwear

50c Venise Lace Yokes, white and ecru, pointed shapes **29c**
50c Venise Lace Collars, round, and the new pointed shapes **25c**
69c to 98c Long Back Venise Lace Collars, for dress or coat **49c**
25c Slightly Mussed Neckwear, all this season's styles; jabots, collars, fichus, guimpes and silk bows **12½c**
25c Odd Lot of Women's and Children's Belts, elastic, patent leather, suede and kid, assorted colors **12½c**
15c Misses' and Children's Venise Lace Collars, white and ecru, round style **9c**

Marvellous Bargains in New Silk and Cotton Waists

The finest assortment of dainty and attractive blouses ever shown here. All new, fresh styles, well made and priced at mere fractions of their regular values. Don't miss this rare feast of bargains.

4.00 Crepe de Chine Waists, three very attractive styles in white. Splendid bargain at **2.98**
2.00 and 3.00 Silk Waists, wash silk, canton crepe, messalines and lace effects. Wonderful bargains at **98c**
2.98 to 3.95 Silk Waists, low necks, drop shoulder **1.98**
2.00 Wash Silk Waists, in black, blue and lavender stripes **98c**
3.98 Messaline and Lace Waists, in a variety of shades and models. Sale price, only **2.39**

79c Madras Waists, in several very desirable styles **49c**
1.49 Lingerie Waists, in a variety of dainty models **98c**
1.98 Waists, in voiles, batiste and lawns, at **1.49**
98c Lingerie Waists, in all new, pretty models. Excellent bargains at **69c**
98c Tailored Waists, in shirt styles, madras, in white and colors **69c**

Record Low Prices for These Reliable, Inexpensive Linens

The trustworthy quality of our Linens and the heavy sales in this department, speak volumes for our claim of the best bargains in Boston. Yet, in this January Sale, as our customers well know, we exceed all efforts, by offering values impossible in any other sale. You save money in this sale.

1.00 72-inch Bleached Table Damask, handsome open border designs **75c**
59c Bleached Mercerized Table Damask, two yards wide **45c**
45c Mercerized Table Damask, 64 inches wide **33c**
29c Bleached Table Damask, mill lengths, 1¼ to 2¼ yards **19c**
1.50 Hemstitched Damask Lunch Cloths, 36 x 36 **98c**
2.00 Napkins, all pure linen **1.50**
3.25 Extra Fine Scotch Napkins, 22 inch **2.50**
2.50 Hemmed Pattern Tablecloths, all linen, size 65x98, splendid value **1.89**

87½c Heavy Scotch Table Damask, full bleached linen, extra fine bargain, at **69c**
17c Huck Towels, all pure linen **12½c**
25c Huck Towels, heavy **19c**
15c Turkish Towels, bleached **11c**
20c Turkish Towels, bleached **15c**
12½c Crash, all pure linen **10c**
10c Unbleached Crash, short lengths **7½c**
6½c Bleached Twilled Toweling, short lengths **4½c**
2.00 Hemmed Pattern Cloths, all linen, size 65x82, a big saving, at **1.69**

You Can't Afford to Miss These Savings on Women's & Children's Knit Underwear

Thousands of pieces of brand new, warm winter undergarments, in every wanted style and a complete range of sizes. These goods represent the odd lines and surplus stocks of our manufacturers, closed out to us at big price concessions. We give our customers the benefit of this saving. Don't miss this big sale.

Women's 1.50 and 2.00 Union Suits, broken lots, some seconds **98c**
Women's 75c and 1.25 Vests and Pants, seconds **49c**
Women's 50c and 59c Vests and Pants, seconds **35c**
Women's 1.00 and 1.25 Union Suits, broken lots, some seconds **69c**

Women's 75c and 1.00 Union Suits, broken lots, some seconds **49c**
Women's 25c and 29c Vests and Pants, seconds **19c**
Children's 50c Union Suits, seconds **29c**
Children's 25c and 29c Vests and Pants, seconds, splendid bargain, at **17c**

GUNBOAT SMITH IS PICKED TO DEFEAT ARTHUR PELKY IN THEIR 20 ROUND BOUT

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

FRANKIE MACK PLANNING HARD RING CAMPAIGN FOR SUPPORT OF AGED MOTHER

SMITH SHOULD DEFEAT PELKY IN BIG CLASH

By JACK CONWAY.

"GUNBOAT" SMITH STILL rules a 10 to 8 betting favorite for his twenty-round bout with Arthur Pelky, which will take place on the Coast on New Year's Day. The contest is for the white heavyweight championship, and the winner will hurl a challenge at Jack Johnson, who is parading up and down Paris' most exclusive boulevards, telling everybody who will listen to him that he is yet the classiest little fighter in the world.

The late Luther McCarty was recognized as the best of the "white hopes," and his "title" went to Pelky when the Chicopee man landed the unfortunate punch that caused the cowboy's death in a Calgary ring last Spring.

According to all laws of the ring, Pelky is the white heavyweight champion. The "fans," however, have refused to recognize his claims. They assert that a boxer cannot well declare himself a champion when he defeats the real title holder under the conditions Pelky won from McCarty.

SMITH, ON THE OTHER HAND, has the support of almost all of the boxing critics and close followers of the glove game. The gunner has defeated almost all of the leading "white hopes," and has proved that he is a strong, willing, fearless fighter. He is not a second Fitzsimmons, Corbett or Jeffries, but is the best piece of fighting machinery that has been unearthed in the world-wide search for a white heavyweight who would be able to defeat Johnson.

THE CALIFORNIAN HAS WON from Frank Moran, Jess Willard, George Rodel, Jim Flynn, Carl Morris, Tony Ross and the unlucky Jack Langford. Jim Buckley's protege defeated the "Fat Baby" at the Alhambra A. A. in this city last month, after twelve hard rounds of fighting. There are few "white hopes" who are able to hold Langford at bay for twelve rounds, let alone defeat him.

LANGFORD, OF COURSE, WAS not at his best when he met Smith. He was at least twelve pounds overweight and looked slow and awkward in delivering his blows. There were many "fancy" boxers asserted that Langford was "fixed" to have Smith win, so that the two men could clash again on the Coast, where they would be certain to draw between $30,000 and $40,000.

THE WRITER BELIEVES that if Smith and Langford were to exchange blows again "Ho Ho" would win. Sam seems to have regained his old time form, as he proved when he outclassed Joe Jeanette in their Derby whirl in Paris. Jeanette is not a champion, but there are few glove men who are able to conquer the Hoboken man.

PELKY HAS NOT ENGAGED in a ring contest since his fatal tussle with McCarty. He was almost an unknown before that bout, but since then has occupied a prominent position among the big fellows. Pelky weighs 205 pounds, and is a powerful, determined young man, with the best of habits. It is said that he has improved a great deal under Tommy Burns' expert coaching, but we do not believe he has had enough experience to hold his own with the "Gunboat."

Denies Cardinals Are Due a Player

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—John B. Foster, secretary of the Giants, declared today that as far as he knows the club does not owe the St. Louis Cardinals any player.

At the time Pitcher Otis Crandall was returned by the Cardinals to the Giants, it was said McGraw agreed to give the Cardinals an outfielder at the end of the season.

Welsh and Dundee Ready for Battle

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 27.—Welsh, the English lightweight champion, and Johnny Dundee, the Gotham star, are hustling to get in shape for their coming encounter on New Year's Day. Welsh has a big advantage over his rival, in that he has been here for nearly two weeks and is almost on edge. Welch will enter the ring a pronounced favorite.

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INDOOR SPORTS By Tad

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BUT I WAS THINKING OF YOU DEAR
INDOOR SPORTS
SWEARING OFF

MACK PLANNING HARD CAMPAIGN IN THE RING

By RINGSIDE.

BEACHMONT and Revere boxing lovers will have plenty to talk about now that Frankie Mack has hurled his new Christmas velour into the ring. Mack is the most finished boxer that has been developed in either Beachmont or Revere in these many years and as a consequence is a pretty popular young citizen in those two sections.

Mack started his Winter campaign in New Bedford the other day when he fought a merry twelve-round draw with Walker Mohr of Brooklyn, that he classed as a rugged performer by his neighbors and friends and was somewhat surprised when Mack gave him as good as he sent.

THE Beachmont lad is a fast, shifty boxer and usually depends upon his skill in order to win his ring contests. There are a number of local glove men who would be able to conquer Mack if he would exchange punches with them. Frankie, however, is too crafty to do such a thing and keeps moving around the canvas like a veritable Jack Johnson and hooking his opponent to the queen's taste and dancing merrily out of the way of would-be dream punches.

FRANKIE is a quiet, unassuming youth and is the only support of an aged mother. When not boxing, Mack is busily engaged mastering the fine points of the printing business for he is wise enough to realize that he will not always be able to earn his livelihood by the leather of his fists. It is to be regretted that more boxers do not follow Mack's example and learn some trade or profession.

Joe Tinker Confers with Federal League

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Joe Tinker, deposed manager of the Cincinnati Reds, would not disclose today what had happened at his conference with President Gilmore of the Federal League.

Tinker refused to confirm or deny the report that he had been offered $50,000 for three years in the Federal League. In discussing the affair, however, he remarked that he could not make that much money in baseball in the National League.

"There is money behind this Federal League, Tinker said, "and the proposition they made me is a good one. I know I can make more money than if I stayed in baseball. They have offered me some stock, on which I now have an option, and if arrangements can be made I will take it the same as Chance did his. He was given his shares and paid for it out of his dividends."

Add Lead to Cup Defender's Keel

BRISTOL, R. I., Dec. 27.—Eighteen tons of lead has been added to the keel of the Vanderbilt syndicate's candidate for the America's Cup defender. This brings the weight of the keel up to seventy-three tons. The additional weight was the result of changes made in the plans since the keel was modeled December 13.

ED SMITH'S TALKS ON SPORTS

IN no division of sport are there so many grand old lost opportunities as in the boxing game. And right we are confronted with another in the case of one Frank Moran of Pittsburgh, white hope. Frank lost the chance of his life in Paris the other day by not being the other fellow in the ring with Jack Johnson when the champion broke a bone in his right hand. We are told that had a smart young man like Moran, who can grasp an opportunity as quickly as anybody, been opposed to Johnson instead of the other Johnson that we would now have a regular white champion.

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MIGHTY hard to say about such things. We've heard of other "lost opportunities" that never return to the same one again, and somehow or other while you figure the opportunities as pretty good, still we have yet to see a champion lose his title because of an accident similar to that which befell "Black Jack" in the Paris engagement.

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IT may be recalled that Ad Wolgast, white lightweight champion, had two chances of losing his title to rather mediocre men, but neither of them saw the chance, or seeing it, was able to seize it. In Milwaukee one night in 1910 Jack Johnson started out to box ten rounds with Wolgast. Ad broke his left arm, which is his best weapon, by the way, in one of the early stages, but stalled so cleverly through the remainder of the battle that Redmond did not even get as good as a draw with him.

THE following September, when Wolgast imagined his arm had entirely healed, he gave two fighters a chance to be classified as "lost opportunities." He was matched with Tommy Quirk of Fond du Lac, Wis., but two days before the scrap Tommy was seized with appendicitis and nearly died. Tommy McFarland was put on as a hurried substitute and struck his hard head into one of the Wolgast uppercuts, again smashing that good left arm. But Tommy wasn't good enough to whip Wolgast, crippled as he was, and thus another monumental L. A. went into ring history. Frankie White was matched with Wolgast for five days later in Milwaukee, but of course never got the chance at the champion.

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DAVE BARRY, another lightweight, had a chance once to get Joe Gans out in Denver. Gans was ill at the time, but needed the money and would have fought Barry, Wolgast going in for a champion. But Barry saw fit to decline the match. He had a grand chance then to whip Gans.

PACKEY M'FARLAND had a similar chance to get Gans in Milwaukee, the negro promising him to later give him a thirty-round fight on the coast if Packey made a good showing in Milwaukee. Packey was advised against the match and didn't take it. He decided he could have beaten Gans in both contests, as Nelson's battles with Gans a short time later showed that the famous negro was then more than half dead.

A YOUNG fellow named Tony Bender knocked Abe Attell as cold as a wedge one night in Billy Elmer's New York gymnasium. It happened in 1906. The blow came in the last fifteen seconds of the third round and as the men were boxing only three rounds Bender never got the credit for the knockout. And he never got another chance at Attell.

JOHNSON RESTS SALARY ARM IN WINTER MONTHS

BASEBALL.

NOTHING SHOWS SO MUCH the hold that baseball has on the American public as the fact that the magnates in meeting assembled, have never been able to talk it or "trade" it to death. When all of the real dollar-spirit of baseball is decently shoved into the background about the middle of January we all forget about it. We'll be out there, 49,000 strong, about April 10, and blamed glad to be there, too.

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THE PRETENSE THAT THIS great game is a matter of sporting rivalry between the big cities is less insistent by a little each. It is open business rivalry. Professional baseball isn't a sport. There is no professional sport. "Professional sport" is a self-evident lie. But baseball is the greatest of our outdoor amusements, and the promoter who gathers the strongest caste and gives the best productions pleases the greatest number and makes the most money. And every one is willing that he should.

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IF YOU HAVE THE TRUE sporting spirit you can have a good time playing any sort of a game that you like, whether you win or not. But when you are paying your money to see experts do the same thing you demand as nearly a perfect performance as possible. This if Tinker should finally sign with Brooklyn he will be hailed with joy by the Brooklyn fans. He says he wants to stay in Chicago.

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TO THE RED DIRECTORS.

Here's to you, merry gentlemen,
Keep on the job, we pray;
Cheer every more and chirrup
Gives us a laugh alway.

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KONETCHY IS QUOTED as being "dissatisfied with conditions in St. Louis." This seems to make it unanimous.

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IT IS NOW FOUR DAYS SINCE Charley Murphy has issued a statement on the Tinker situation, thus breaking the world's record for self-control.

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JIM COFFEY SAYS THAT Lewinsky is the only boy I ever had to hunt for when I wanted to start a punch." In some way this recalls the story of the hunter who brought the bear back to camp by starting a stunt ten yards in from all the way.

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WE ARE PLEASED TO NOTE that Paris has charged Jack Johnson with faking. Paris being the only civilized community up to this time that has not charged him with something.

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"IN PARIS," SAID JACK JOHNson recently, they called me the 'invincible.'" Also, "Taker" and "bum."

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FRANK HINKEY, THE FAMOUS "Shadow End," is the new coach at Yale, and all references to Yale having a ghost of a chance are barred as being obvious and lacking in true humor.

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ALTHOUGH GUNBOAT SMITH has "outpointed" him, and any one will tell you that he can't come back, there is a manifest reluctance everywhere to go after Sam Langford's game. Carpentier, the Frenchman, who popularized the sport of knocking out B. Wells, is the latest side-stepper.

From RINGSIDE And BLEACHERS

Yankee Athletes Win in Big Games

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—The American athletic team now touring Australasia made a good showing in the meet held at Wellington, N. Z. Power of Boston finished sixth in the 1,000-yard handicap, in which he started from scratch. The event was won by a New Zealander from the 75-yard mark in 2:15 3-5.

Templeton a Stanford University won the high jump handicap from scratch, clearing 6 feet.

George Parker of Stockton, Cal., won the 100-yard handicap from scratch in 10 1-5, and then took the 220-yard handicap race in 21. Crowley of Ukiah, Cal., won the shot-put with a throw of 45 feet, 7 inches.

In the 120-yard hurdle race, Templeton, from scratch, was second in his heat, but did not start in the final owing to an injured ankle.

Power was unable to start in the 2 or 5-mile owing to indisposition. Crowley, scratch, took second place in the hammer throw.

SIDELIGHTS ON SPORTS By A.H.C. Mitchell

CHARLES WEBB MURPHY, president of the Chicago National League Club—we cannot help giving Charlie a little notice once in a while—has sent a list of the Chicago players under reserve to the president of several other National League Clubs with offers to trade any or all of the players on the list.

TRADE, trade, trade. That seems to be all that certain National League magnates are thinking of.

MURPHY is doubtless now convinced that his club is slipping. When he first acquired the Cubs they were primed for the championship. Under the leadership of Frank Chance they won several National League pennants hand running. In the last three years, while finishing close up in the race, they have been shut out of world's series money. Murphy fired Chance and appointed Evers as manager. He also secured Roger Bresnahan, former manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, and it was thought that he wanted the big fellow to step in as manager of the Cubs in case Evers, who was serving his first term as leader, didn't make good. Evers kept the team going pretty well, however—much better than most baseball men thought he would do.

EVIDENTLY Murphy is satisfied with Evers as manager, as he has offered to trade Bresnahan to the Pittsburgh Club. But Murphy would not allow Evers to make any trades while he (Murphy) was absent in Europe. Now that he is back he starts the ball a-rolling by offering any player he has to the other National League Clubs.

EITHER Murphy believes his club is slipping or he believes that when his players learn that he is willing to swap any or all of them, they will take a decided brace when the next playing season rolls around. Murphy's scheme may simply be to instill ginger in his men.

It is one thing to offer to swap and another thing to really swap.

EDDIE CICOTTE is the first holdout of the Winter season. He has returned the contract sent him by the Red Sox organization with word that the terms are not satisfactory. It is stated that he would have held off, anyhow, even if the amount of his salary had been satisfactory, because he is bound by his promise to the Players' Fraternity not to sign until the demands of the players have been disposed of by the baseball magnates.

EARL YINGLING, the Brooklyn pitcher who has been sold to Cincinnati, visited that city the other day and astonished everybody by declaring that he would really like to play ball as a member of that club. As Bill Phelon reports the incident:

Yingling did not say that he refused to stand for the deal.

He did not state that he would play in Boston, or New York, but not in Cincinnati.

He did not give notice that he must receive a salary of $7,000.

He did not say he must have a part of the purchase money.

He did not announce that he was going to join the Federal League.

THERE must be something radically wrong with Yingling. What is it?

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AS a matter of fact, however, Yingling is a distinct acquisition to the league. He is a gentlemanly athlete who is ambitious and tries his goods as well. He was the only National League pitcher who was consistently used as a pinch hitter last Summer and he made good, hitting .283 for the season.

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BALL players are against the umpires first, last and all the time.

If the umpires says a player called him a vile name and the player denies it and the other players uphold their confreres what can Mr. Tener do? Can he fine or suspend the player in view of the overwhelming evidence against the umpire? And if he doesn't punish the player will not the player and other players do the same thing over again?

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IF these things come to pass Bang! will go discipline in the National League as far as the actions of players on the ball field is concerned.

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BAN JOHNSON'S method is to promptly telegraph the suspension of a player as soon as he has read the report from the umpire. He reads and usually receives the exact truth from his officials. He does not hear the player's version of the affair. He relies solely on his umpires. Later if he finds by means he has of getting at the truth of things, that the umpire overplayed himself, he puts that official on the carpet and gives him a drubbing down that is not soon forgotten.

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OCCASIONALLY one reads that an American League umpire has been forced to go to his home owing to the serious illness of a member of his family. The real reason, in most cases, is that the umpire is under suspension without pay, for misrepresenting something to the Czar of Baseball. Johnson will not let it become known that he has disciplined an umpire for fear that the players of the American League will take advantage of the fact, but he has his ways of disciplining his staff that the public knows not of.

ELEVENS READY TO NUMBER THE FOOTBALL MEN

In keeping with the holiday spirit most of the big colleges in the country have come along with a most acceptable gift for the football enthusiasts—the announcement that next season they would number their football gladiators.

Princeton, Pennsylvania, Brown, Cornell, Dartmouth and Carlisle are now in favor of the plan. So are Holy Cross, University of Maine, Colgate and a number of the smaller colleges. Washington and Jefferson College has numbered its players for two years. The Army officials declare they will number their men if the Navy does, and the Navy said it would number its men if the Army did. So it seems certain that both these institutions will fall into line.

In the West the conference colleges have announced that they would number their players next year. The smaller Western colleges have followed the larger ones in approving of the plan.

This leaves only Harvard and Yale colleges of the Big Institutions in the entire country that have not openly favored the plan. However, it is said that the officials at both these colleges have changed their recent views on the subject and that when 1914 rolls around they will not hold out against the numbering plan.

Major Leagues to Welcome Tourists

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—That the National League will assist the American League in giving welcome to the world-touring Chicago White Sox and New York Giants upon their return to New York next March, was made known in a letter received by President Ban B. Johnson, of the American League, from Governor John K. Tener, president of the National League.

President Johnson recently announced that he would accompany a party of White Sox supporters to New York to greet the home-coming tourists. Governor Tener requested that plans for the celebration be made jointly with the National League, and it was announced that his request will be granted.

Aberg Throws Liebler.

SPRINGFIELD, Dec. 27.—Alexander Aberg, champion of the world at Greco-Roman wrestling, defeated Hans Liebler, the German-Swiss giant, here in two straight falls. Aberg won the first fall in 29m. 35s. and the second in 11m. 30s.

HOLLAND PLANS TO SEND TEAM TO OLYMPIAD

By JAMES L. MITCHEL.
World's Champion Weight Thrower.

Holland is the latest of the European countries to be hit by the athletic craze, and according to the news which reaches here today the Dutchmen are determined to shine in the track and field as quickly as possible.

The association in charge of sports in the Netherlands, as proof of its sincerity, has begun the erection of a stadium at Amsterdam, inside of which there will be a quarter-mile running path and the requisite fixtures for field competitions. It is planned to use this stadium as soon as finished, next Summer for a meet lasting several days.

Other nations are to be invited. Lawson Robertson of the Irish-American A. C., New York, has received a letter inviting his team to take part in the games if the men went to Athens. Evidently at the time of sending the invitation the news had not been sent broadcast that the Athens fixture had been postponed.

Several of the American athletes reported to be in fine form for the trip received similar invitations. Holland has been very backward in previous Olympic games, but it is going to stir itself to be in the running at Berlin two years hence.

M. W. Pollock, one of the best young distance runners in Canada, is entered for the two-mile run at the junior indoor championship on January 3. He hails from London, Ontario, and the experts there are of the opinion that he will make the youngsters in this country hustle to win.

The race will have more or less of an international flavor, owing to the entries of John Eke, the Swede, Willie Kyronen, Willie Lindfors and John Pietila, the Finlanders. Dave Noble and O. Gibbons of the New York A. C. are a brace of youngsters who expect to be there at the finish.

Wallach Calls Halt in Cross Training

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 27.—Leach Cross, the New York fighter who is scheduled to box Bud Anderson at Olympic on New Year's day, is doing so nicely in his training that today Manager Sam Wallach advised a let up. Leach spent the day in talking with his friends and training camp.

Cross is looking good, and his claim that he is getting into the best condition he ever attained for a Los Angeles fight is borne out by his general appearance and work in training bouts.

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HOW THE TEAMS LINE UP.

B. A. A.		TORONTO UNIV.
Osgood, Lw.		w., Knight
Hicks, c.		c., Hope
Clifford, r.		r., Barry
Sortwell, rw.		l., Wilson
Huntington, cp.		cp., Frith
Foster, p.		p., Hanley
Canterbury, g.		g., Laird

At the Boston Arena tonight the first Canada vs. United States hockey game of the season will be played, as the Boston Athletic Association will meet Toronto University. As the B. A. A. seven is in excellent condition and playing fast hockey, and as Toronto University is regarded as the best college aggregation in Canada, having won the intercollegiate championship four years, one of the best games of the season is expected.

Those who have followed the playing of the Toronto University team proclaim that in Aird, the clever left wing, the wearers of the Maple Leaf have the greatest hockey player in the amateur ranks. This is Aird's third season on the Toronto varsity and his work is practically every game has featured. He is an exceptionally fast skater, a great stick handler and a dead shot. With the exception of the two centre ice men, Toronto will put the same team on the ice tonight that deefated B. A. A. 9 to 4 last January.

Bob Clifford will get back into the game tonight and the Boston Athletic Association will have its strongest combination in action. Osgood and Sortwell will look after the wing positions while Hicks will be in the centre with Clifford. The B. A. A. defensive will be composed of Freddie Huntington, "Newt" Foster and "Skeets" Canterbury, and in this trio of exceptionally clever players, the Canadian collegians will be pitted against one of the strongest defences in the country.

Yachtsmen to Confer in New York Monday

The first meeting of the Philadelphia, New York and Boston yachtsmen comprising the syndicate that is to build a cup defender at Bath, and the time will be held at New York on Monday night.

Boston will be represented by six enthusiastic Corinthians, but the designer, George Owen, who is a resident of Greater Boston, will be at Bath at the time superintending the preliminary work on the new boat. George M. Pynchon, who is to be the managing owner of the yacht, will represent New York, and E. Walter Clark, former commodore of the Philadelphia-Corinthian Yacht Club, will head the Philadelphia contingent.

It is expected that preliminary designs of the yacht will be examined and the season's campaign formulated.

Dr. Burnett Physical Director at Tufts

L. B. Burnett, M. D., has been appointed physical director at Tufts to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Krantz, which was tendered a week ago. Dr. Burnett is a graduate of the Tufts Medical School, 1910, and now engaged as an assistant demonstrator in anatomy there.

Willetts Now at Detroit's Camp

GULFPORT, Miss., Dec. 27.—Edgar Willetts, the Detroit pitcher, accompanied by his wife, have arrived here in advance of the rest of the Detroit team, which is due the middle of February. Willetts has leased a cottage and says he expects Dauss, Bush and Dubuc will come down within a couple of weeks, when Willetts will begin daily work.

Moha-Kenny Bout Postponed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The ten-round bout between Bob Moha of Milwaukee and Roy Kenny of Boston, scheduled to take place at Brown's Gym, was postponed to January 6.

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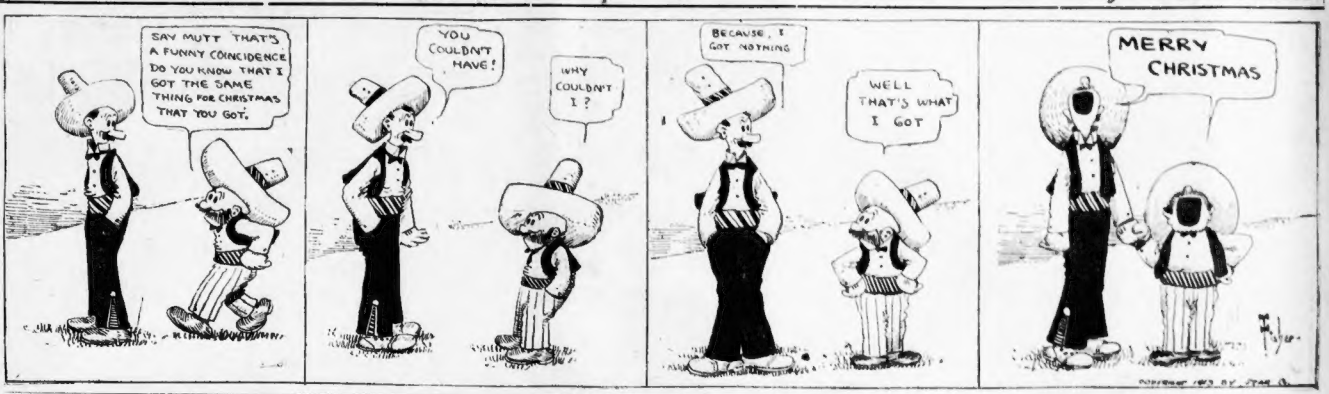
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WELL THAT'S WHAT I GOT
MERRY CHRISTMAS

PLAN WORLD'S SERIES FOR BIG EXPOSITION

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—James E. Sullivan, who has charge of the sporting features of the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco in 1915, is laying plans for a baseball series between the world's contenders of that year.

Sullivan said today that he intends to take up the matter with President John K. Tener of the National League and President Ban Johnson of the American League soon after New Year's.

It is Sullivan's idea to have a so-called supplementary world's series for a valuable trophy to be called the Panama-Pacific cup, the rival pennant winners to play seven games on the exposition grounds immediately after the regular world's series has been decided.

The rival major league champions will be invited to go to the Coast at the expense of the exposition promoters, and the players will receive the entire gate receipts.

Players Will State Demands on Jan. 6

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—David L. Fultz, president of the Baseball Players' Federation, announced today that a committee representing the federation would meet the National Commission at Cincinnati on Tuesday, January 6.

"The fraternity will probably be represented," said the statement, "by John P. Henry, Jacob E. Daubert, Ray W. Collins, John B. Miller, Edward M. Reulbach and myself."

K. O. Brown Signs to Meet Ad Wolgast

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 27.—Knockout Brown and Ad Wolgast have been signed to battle ten rounds here at the Auditorium on New Year's afternoon. Brown and Wolgast have already met in two slashing contests and great interest is being displayed by local sports.

Gotch to Return to the Mat Game

Frank Gotch, world's champion wrestler, has decided to return to the game, and will probably sign for five or six matches within a short time. His prospective opponents probably will be the heavyweights in the limelight whom he has not met.

Lynn's Manager to Coach Georgia Team

Manager Pat Flaherty of the Lynn New England League ball team will leave in a few days to start work coaching the University of Georgia ball team. Flaherty will remain in the South till the latter part of April and then return to take charge of his Lynn team.

Freddie Welsh to Box at Atlanta, Ga.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 27.—Freddie Welsh, the English lightweight, will box ten rounds here on January 6 with Frank Whitney, a promising lightweight. Welsh will arrive here several days before the bout, coming from New Orleans, where he boxes Johnny Dundee on New Year's Day.

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GEORGE E. PHAIR SAYS:

CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE.

The fighters come and pass away;
They take their gate receipts and go.
And are forgotten in a day.
But every second week or so
Sam Langford battles Joe Jeannette
Lest we forgetle, lest we forgette.

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Having the Tinker deal to write about New York's baseball scribes do not find it necessary to trade Russell Ford offener than once a week.

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There is good even in the worst of us. In fact, we might even say that there are some good traits in the varlet who pinches the electric light bulbs off our desk.

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After finishing its football schedule next year, Michigan will feel like a ball team that has been up against Walter Johnson, Christy Mathewson, Chief Bender and Joe Wood in one series.

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Our wrestlers are doing their dodging early so as to gather all the change in sight before Zbyszko and other real wrestlers arrive.

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AN OLD FAMILIAR SAW CARELESSLY RESET.

A friend in need usually has trouble getting assistance from his next best friend.

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While Yale has abandoned the English stroke, it still prefers football of the vintage of 1883.

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Handing a kid a useful present at Christmastide is much like handing a man a ham sandwich at a banquet.

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It must be said in justice to Joe Tinker that he never exceeded the speed limit when he was driving the Cincinnati machine.

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Possibly our attention has been distracted by the holiday bustle, but it is several days since we have heard of anybody whipping Jim Flynn.

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One is vividly reminded of the high cost of lemons when one reads that New York boxing shows have drawn $2,720,000 in the last two years.

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Ivan Mamuloff claims that he once threw the Russian Lion. He is now learning to throw the American Bull.

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THEY NEVER QUIT.

You may beat him and flay him and clout him all day,
You may plaster him flat on the floor,
But the battered cochampion always tells say:
"I am better than ever before!"

Cleveland Naps to Train at Athens

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 27.—Vice-President E. S. Barnard of the Cleveland American League Baseball Club, announces that the Naps probably will train here during March of next year, provided the team can obtain the use of the University of Georgia baseball field.

Harvard Hockey Team in Syracuse

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The Harvard University hockey squad, comprising eighteen men, is here for a ten days' stay. The team will play four games here on the artificial ice in the Arena, two of which will be with the Ottawa University seven, January 5 and 9.

RULE CHANGES DISCREDITED BY M'LOUGHLIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 27.—Maurice E. McLoughlin, tennis champion of America and a member of the team that brought back to this country last Summer the Davis International trophy, discredited today published reports that British tennis authorities desire to change the rules for future International play in such a way as to handicap him and other American players who have a similar style.

He does not believe that British players wish to require a player to touch his foot to the ground after each service before rushing to the net.

Such a play would slow down McLoughlin's play materially, for he is essentially a net player, and the foremost Englishmen are back-court players. McLoughlin follows a smashing service with a rush to the net.

Such players as Wallace F. Johnson, of Philadelphia, and Parke and Wilding, the English cracks, might be in favor of the proposed "foot fault" rule, McLoughlin is willing to concede, but he is confident the support of two-thirds of the nations in the International agreement, necessary to amend the rules, cannot be obtained.

Wesleyan Fails to Retain Hutchinson

MIDDLETOWN, Ct. Dec. 27.—The Athletic Council has decided not to re-engage Danny Hutchinson, the University of Pennsylvania star, to coach the Wesleyan eleven next Fall. Hutchinson was aided by Bloody Wallace, Pennsylvania '01. There was considerable disappointment that the Cardinal and Black line did not defeat its old rivals, Williams and Trinity, this Fall. The committee which will select the new coach consists of Major Lewis E. Gordon, Wesleyan, '94, Hartford; Dr. Edgar Fauver, director of athletics, and Manager F. B. Upham, '15.

Princeton May Have Millionaire Pitcher

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Fowler McCormick, grandson of John D. Rockefeller, and son of Harold F. McCormick of this city, has once more been placed under the watchful care of Mordecai Brown, former star twirler of the Chicago Cubs, with the hope of absorbing enough of the once great pitcher's knowledge of the box-man science to secure him a place on the Princeton baseball team.

The lad, who has been attending school at Groton, Mass., expects to enter Old Nassau College in the near future.

"Chick" Evans Plays on Atlanta Links

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 27.—Charles Evans, Jr., the noted Chicago golfer, arrived here and will spend several weeks at the links of the Atlanta Athletic Club as the guest of G. W. Adair, champion of the club. Evans has always declared that the Atlanta course was one of the best over which he had played and selected it as the course over which he will train in Europe to play in the French championship last year.

Archie Walsh Rolls Record String of 175

On top of the two world's records made by the Revere bowling team in the Suburban League Archie Walsh, the leadoff man, rolled the highest single string made in competition, when he scored 175 in a match game against the Quannapowitt team. Walsh fell down in the next two strings and lost his chance to establish a world's total of better than 600.

Billings Praises Go-to-Church Day

In a letter received at this office, George R. Billings, chairman of the B. A. A. Athletic Committee, indorsed Go-to-Church Day which will be celebrated on February 7. Mr. Billings' letter is as follows:

Boston, Mass., Dec. 27, 1913.

Editor Boston AMERICAN,

Dear Sir: I wish to congratulate the AMERICAN for the interest it has manifested in Go-To-Church Day. The day is sure to be a very successful one and cannot but do good to all who take a part in it. Of course it would be better for people to attend church more than once each year but it is a great deal better for a person to attend church services one day in each year than not at all. I hope that all athletes who are not in the habit of going to church will do so on Go-to-Church Day.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) GEORGE R. BILLINGS
Chairman B. A. A. Athletic Com.

Milton Five Has Hard List of Games

The Cunningham Gymnasium basketball team of Milton has arranged the hardest schedule of years. The strongest teams in the State are booked. The schedule follows:

December 27, Natick town team at rousing bas ket ball game.
January 1, Needham Y. M. C. A. at Needham.
January 2, Presidentown Y. M. C. A. at Presidentown.
January 3, Bethel Independents at Bethel.
January 10, Y. M. C. A. at South Framingham.
January 17, Framingham Town Team at Framingham.
January 24, Bridgewater Y. M. C. A. at Bridgewater.
January 31, Needham Y. M. C. A. at Milton.
February 7, North Abington Y. M. C. A. at North Abington.
February 14, Quincy Y. M. C. A. at Quincy.
February 21, Framingham Town Team at Milton.
February 28, Framingham Town Team at Framingham.
March 7, Quincy Y. M. C. A. at Milton.
March 14, Boston Y. M. C. A. at Boston.

Fitzsimmons Barred in New Yory Rings

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The State Athletic Commission will not permit Bob Fitzsimmons to engage in a bout in this city. "Fitz" was to box at the Atlantic Garden A. C. the second week in January.

Fitzsimmons, in the opinion of all the commissioners, is too old to take part in another ring contest, despite his assertion that he can not only fight himself, but can also whip all of the big fellows now before the public. He is fifty-one years old and has been out of the ring since December 27, 1909, when Bill Lang knocked him out in twelve rounds in Sydney, N. S. W.

Three Tigers to Go to Hot Springs

DETROIT, Dec. 27.—Three members of the Tigers, at least, possibly more, will precede the main body South next Spring, going to Hot Springs for some preliminary work prior to reporting at Gulfport. The trio that it is planned to send comprises Dubuc and Dauss, pitchers, and Stange, backstop. Some others may be selected for this same trip, after the players, who usually become letter writers on receipt of contracts, have been heard from. This will be early in January, as the club plans to mail its contracts immediately after the close of the holidays.

Hinkey to Receive $4,000 as Coach

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 27.—It was learned today that Frank Hinkey, the new head football coach, will draw a salary of $4,000 for his season's work. Hinkey is in town and will hold a conference with Captain Talbott, who will soon return from his home in Dayton, O.

BOSTON LATIN TEAM HAS 30 CANDIDATES

The hockey candidates for the Boston Latin team have reported, thirty in number, for first practice, and the boys showed good form. The most likely candidates are Captain Murray, Paul Devine, Cousens, Elston, Cahill, Fitzgibbons and Corcoran.

Manager Nelson has arranged a fine list of games. The schedule:

Jan. 8—Somerville High at Somerville.
Jan. 10—St. Johns Prep. at Cambridge.
Jan. 15—Boston College High at Franklin Field.
Jan. 22—Brookline High at Brookline.
Jan. 29—Newton High at Boston.
Feb. 5—Hudson High at Hudson.
Feb. 12—Medford High at Franklin Field.
Feb. 19—Melrose High at Melrose.
Feb. 26—Dorchester High at Dorchester.
Feb. 28—English High at Arena.

Hard Fought Soccer Games Booked Today

Soccer fans will witness some hard fought battles in the Boston and District League this afternoon. Charlestown and Trimo, bitter rivals, will furnish the chief attraction at the Marcella street playground, and a big crowd will be on hand.

General Electrics will stack up against pretty tough opposition in St. George, at Glendale Park, Everett, in the Eastern League. The Boston Americans travel to Lynn to oppose the Forest team.

Lynn Mike go to Waltham to oppose the much battered Waltham Celtics. The Swedish Americans tackle the Cartero of Needham at Cambridge, while Brockton is at home to Lynn Thistle.

Court Tennis Play for Cup Begins Today

TUXEDO PARK, N. Y., Dec. 27.—The first court tennis tournament for the new national challenge cup presented by the Tuxedo Tennis and Racquet Club will begin here today. Some of the best amateurs in the country are entered for the trophy, which takes the place of the gold racquet.

The drawings today for the first round put Oliver Perrin of New York against Dr. Wm. Wilson of Tuxedo; George L. Scott, New York, against Gordon Douglass, New York; C. S. Lee, Tuxedo, against C. S. Cutting, Tuxedo, and Fulton Cutting, Tuxedo, against Maurice Rocha, New York. P. Lorillard, Jr., will meet the winner of the Perrin-Wrenn match in the second round.

Joe Palmer Passes Buffalo on Walk

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Joseph Palmer, who started out from the Boston City Hall on December 1 en route for the Pacific Coast, left here this morning on his long westward. Palmer, who is making the trip in an effort to lower Weston's famous coast-to-coast walk of 103 days, 14 hours, 30 minutes, is two days ahead of Weston's time and felt confident that he would gain a couple more hours before reaching Chicago.

Joe Shugrue Easy Winner Over Smith

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Cy Smith of Hoboken was a shining mark for Joe Shugrue of Jersey City in a ten-round bout that went the limit at the National Sporting Club. Shugrue outfought and outboxed Smith every round, the latter landing only one punch in the entire session, a hard right to the ear in the sixth.

Old Baseball Star Expires.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Dec. 27.—Dr. Frank H. O'Connor, widely known twenty years ago as a baseball pitcher on the Dartmouth College team, is dead here of heart disease. He was past State deputy of the Knights of Columbus.

Williams and Campi to Fight on Coast

While awaiting the decision of the National Sporting Club of London regarding a match between Kid Williams and Digger Stanley, bantam champion of England, Sammy Harris, manager of Williams, has accepted an offer of a $5,000 guarantee for a bout between his man and Mike Campi of California.

The bout will take place in Los Angeles on February 12. Williams and Campi boxed on the coast several months ago and Williams won on points.

Williams declares that if the London club accepts his terms he will sail for England immediately after the bout with Campi.

Fred Lake Arranges Games with Pilgrims

Fred Lake, who is to manage the Fitchburg club in the New England League next season, has arranged two exhibition games for Fitchburg on the morning and afternoon of April 26, when Patriots' Day will be celebrated, with the strong semi-pro nine that Chick McLaughlin, the former Harvard captain, is organizing next season. McLaughlin's team will play under the name of the Pilgrims and expects to defeat at least one or several of the other New England League clubs before the opening of the championship season.

Frank O'Neil Rules Against Johnson

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Chairman Frank O'Neil of the State Boxing Commission has notified the French Boxing Federation by cable that he agrees with the latter body that Jack Johnson is no longer the heavyweight champion of the world. This statement by O'Neil is contrary to that made by Charles Harvey, the secretary of the commission, who on reply to Paul Rousseau of the French Federation a few days ago, stated that Johnson is still the champion.

Hughie Mehegan Beats Pal Brown

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 27.—Hughie Mehegan, the Australian lightweight, won the decision over Pal Brown, an American pugilist, in an exciting twenty-round bout. Ten thousand spectators witnessed the fight.

By winning Mehegan evened up the score with Brown, who defeated him on points in a twenty-round contest at Sydney in October.

Dyer Again to Coach Holy Cross Ball Team

WORCESTER, Dec. 27.—William H. Dyer, the former Holy Cross captain and old professional baseball player, has been again appointed coach of the College varsity baseball team for next season. Dyer, whose home is in Worcester, will begin work immediately with the candidates about the middle of February. Dyer has been coach of the nine for the past five years.

K. O. Sweeney Signs for Two Big Bouts

Knockout Sweeney has been signed for two hard battles in forty-eight hours. On December 29 he will box Battling Terry fifteen rounds at the Greenville, S. C. Auditorium, and on New Year's night will clash with Jack Reed, the Australian lightweight, in a ten-round bout at Syracuse.

Dillon-Clabby Bout Is Off.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—The Jack Dillon-Jimmy Clabby bout, scheduled for this city, was declared off today by Tom McCarey.

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MACK DECLARES HIS TEAM WILL CAPTURE FLAG

BY FRANK G. MENKE.

CORNELIUS McGILLICUDDY, better known, perhaps, as Connie Mack, manager and part owner of the Philadelphia Athletics, champion baseball team of the world, has become an addicted to the pennant winning habit he has promised the fans in Quakertown that another visitation will perch upon his banner when next season's battles shall have become history.

This statement of the silent one can only be wondered at from the standpoint that Connie considered it necessary to make the announcement.

Mack, however, does not believe in the other teams in the American League, but he does believe that his big stable will, without difficulty, finish ahead of Washington, Chicago and the Detroit Red Sox, these three clubs he chooses to follow his aggregation home for the season's windup.

Connie's argument leads it to Frank Chance, boss of the New Yorkers, that the latter have not strengthened their points of defense and argumentation, and he expresses the opinion that if the latter's pitchers do their work as they should lead the second division.

It goes without saying that the Hawkins baseball general has not overlooked the fact that he made by Charles Harvey, the secretary of the commission, who in reply to Paul Rousseau of the French Federation a few days ago, stated that Johnson is still the champion.

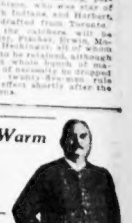
Mack's opinion of the Athletics on the eve of the season's battles follow:

WILBERT ROBINSON will take three players with him to the southern camp next month, among them being ten batsmen, pitchers, five outfielders and eight infielders.

The pitching department will consist of Rucker Realbuh, Hagan, Brown, Allen, Aitchison, Marquard, Wagner, Pfeffer and Herbert.

The above are well known to the baseball public as pitching performers, while all except Allen of Newark Indians, and Herbert, who was drafted from Buffalo.

Among the catchers will be Meyers, Erwin, Bruggy, Miller, Mc-Carty and Hochstetler, of whom Meyers is likely to be retained, although Robinson has a warm spot in his heart for Erwin, and the latter's retention will of necessity be dropped when it comes time to cut down the list, unless some effort shortly after the baseball train.



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Merely Taking a Peek, 's All

GEE WHIZ - LOOK AT THAT BEAU - I NEVER NOTICED HER BEFORE
HE-HOO - SEE IF THE JUDGE ONLY KNEW THAT SHE WAS THERE
SOME KID HARRY
HEY THERE!! GET OUT OF THAT HALL - GET AWAY FROM THAT WINDOW GET ME!
I'LL JUST GIVE THAT WINDOW THE ONCE OVER MYSELF - THERE MUST BE SOMETHING THERE
SAY!! SHE AIN'T A BAD LOOKER AT THAT
TO BE CONTINUED

THE DINGBAT FAMILY

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It's a Duck—It's a Dog—It's a Cat

YESTERDAY MA I WAS BRAGGING ABOUT OUR WONDERFUL CLUCKING-MEEYOWING-QUACKING-DOG TO ME MOUKGUMMERY AND DEFYING THE WORLD TO PRODUCE ITS EQUAL WHEN LO AND BEHOLD LONG COMES THIS FAIRY-LIKE ELFIN-EYED L'IL DUCK JUST BARKING HIS HEAD OFF BARKING JUST LIKE A DOG -
I DON'T BELIEVE IT I JUST WATCH IT DO NOT BELIEVE THAT BIRD A TALL AS THAT DUCK IS TOO DUCKY FOR TO GENERATE ANY SOUND IN THIS WORLD BUT A QUACK
CLUCK-CLUCK MEE-YOW MEE-YOW QUACK QUACK
MR MOUKGUMMERY I APPEAL TO YOU AIN'T IT SO THAT YOU AND ME HEARD THIS DUCK BARK YESTERDAY
IT AIN'T THAT I DISBELIEVE YOU MY OWN - BUT I'VE GOTTA HEAR THIS DUCK BARK BEFORE I FEEL CONVINCED THAT'S ALL
BARKING HEY BARKING CALL THAT BARKING SMARTY -
MEE-YOW MEE-YOW MEER-YOW
BY-GOLLY I THOUGHT I WAS RIGHT ABOUT THEM DUCKS NOT BARKING

POLLY AND HER PALS

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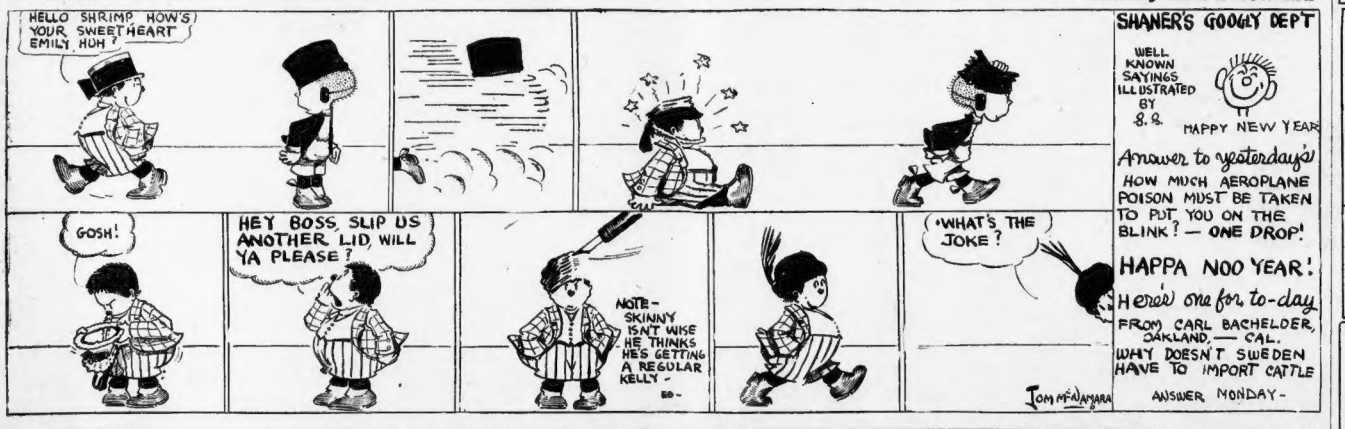
Skinny Gets a New Lid


HELLO SHRIMP HOW'S YOUR SWEETHEART EMILY HUH ?
GOSH!
HEY BOSS SLIP US ANOTHER LID WILL YA PLEASE ?
NOTE - SKINNY ISN'T WISE HE THINKS HE'S GETTING A REGULAR KELLY - EE -
WHAT'S THE JOKE ?
TOM McNAMARA
SHANER'S GOOGLY DEPT
WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY S.S.
HAPPY NEW YEAR
Answer to yesterday's
HOW MUCH AEROPLANE POISON MUST BE TAKEN TO PUT YOU ON THE BLINK ? — ONE DROP!
HAPPA NOO YEAR!
Here's one for to-day
FROM CARL BACHELDER, OAKLAND, — CAL.
WHY DOESN'T SWEDEN HAVE TO IMPORT CATTLE
ANSWER MONDAY -

AT BAY

A THRILLING STORY OF SOCIETY'S BLACKMAILERS

(Novelized by)

Arthur Stringer

(From the play by George Scarborough, now being presented in New York. Serial rights held and copyrighted by International News Service.)

Suddenly the keen-eared Filipino boy turned—arranged glasses and decanter on the great table in the centre of the room—drew the deep Russian chair closer to the gleaming fire and stood at attention at the open door with a quiet dispatch that seemed to disprove all theories of Oriental slowness.

[illegible] easy grace that was his Irish heritage—with the smiling at-homeness with the world that had always been his—up to the time of danger—Captain Holbrook swung into his own domain. The servitor he had trained to wear livery instead of Filipino skins and fibre took his hat and coat with a military precision.

"Wait a minute, Barney. Hold on. If ya don't mind, I've got something up me sleeve."

He took that long black box of Japanned metal from his sleeve. Barney looked curiously at the other sleeve. The Captain produced a queer little wooden thing from his pocket and put it on the table. Off came his dinner coat and draped its well-cut blackness over a chair; then the Captain's hands slipped through the unaccustomed opening in his shirt sleeves, leaving the cuffs standing away from his arms just below the elbows. He picked up the curious thing that was a plate-holder and vanished into an inner room. Barney looked after his master speculatively, touched the black box with a long curious finger—shook his head, and picking up the top coat and gray fedora marched into another room.

Had Larry Holbrook forgotten the emerald brooch that lay in telltale carelessness in the pocket of that coat that he had so idly hung over the back of the chair?

For a moment there was stillness in the deserted room. Then the Captain's voice called, "Barney, Barney!" No answer—back came Holbrook carrying a red lamp unlighted and a pan for a photograph plate.

THE MISSING HYPO

"Barney!"

"Yes, sir," and the servitor with narrow, twitching black eyes came at the call.

"There was a bottle of hypo in my cupboard. Where is it?" Holbrook was now quite intent on lighting the lamp.

"What, sir?"

"The stuff you've seen me pour in this pan."

"Bah-tle?" queried Barney with great precision.

"Yes."

"Don know, Captain."

"You must find it, Barney."

"Don know!"

He started across the room, shaking his head gravely and repeating his formula, "Don know."

"It's not there!" cried the Captain in exasperation—he must have the means of developing this plate—he must know—the worst—the very, very worst.

He spoke with slow patience. "Big bottle—says H-Y-P-O on the label—big Poland water bottle."

Barney bobbed his head vigorously; he went over and knelt at the buffet.

"Oh, yis, sir—yis, sir."

The captain dropped the work of his hands and straightened up to the occasion.

"My word—in the buffet!"

"There, Captain?"

"That's it——Barney, did you give anyone a drink of it?"

"Not yit, sir," answered Barney respectfully.

"Well, wait till I tell you before you do!"

"Yis, sir."

The captain started back to his own private sanctum to immerse the plate that would tell all in its hypo bath.

"And, Barney—don't drink any of it yourself!"

"Yis, sir."

The captain lingered at the door and spoke with the grave emphasis he used in training this ignorant "boy"—and yet there was in eyes and voice the twinkle that had won him the friendship of women and savages.

A NEW PLAN

"That'll send you back to Manilla, Barnadino—in a pine box..... Now get Dr. Elliott on the phone and tell him I'm sick—to come as fast as ever he can."

A new plan was hatching in the prolific brain of this soldier of fortune.

"Dooker Ell-yut," repeated Barnadino gravely.

"Yes. His number's in the little book. E-two L's-I-O and two tees!"

Barney's nose was buried in the little book while yet he knew that precious formula."

"Yis, sir."

"And after that get me a pot of tea."

Barney dropped the book—and gazed at his master in something akin to horror.

"TEA!"

"TEA!" Repeated Captain Holbrook late of the U. S. A. and late and soon of the world. There was something in the brief dialogue to suggest that tea was not a beverage for the preparation of which Barnadino had a vast number of calls.

"Yis, sir," said Barney in a chastened tone.

To Be Continued Monday.

Krazy Kat

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Happy Yuletide Is Right

Maybe Krazy Will Have Mouse for Dinner

A Woman Is Satisfied with Her Gifts So Long as They Don't Include a Gift From Someone She Forgot

THE AMERICAN'S MAGAZINE PAGE

Dancing

"The MillerWhirl"—a Brand New Dance for the Drawing Room

No. 1—"The Grace Waltz"

The top picture shows the manner in which partners hold each other in the whirl. The bottom picture shows the first movement in the Grace Waltz, which is continued for some time without either of the dancers touching each other, finally to result in the whirl as described.

HERE is a great chance for readers of the magazine page to learn a new dance, containing three original and distinct movements, all of which can easily be carried out in the ball room or dancing room. The feature of the dance is the whirl, originated by the Millers nine years ago. One of its chief attractions is the absence of anything suggestive of ordinary turkey-trotting, on which all lovers of good, wholesome dancing have put the ban. The dance will be described in three articles, one of which will appear each week.—EDITOR.

By ETHEL MILLER

(Of "The Marvellous Millers," now supporting in the New York Roof's "Jardin de Danse.")

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"WE have called our new dance the Whirl, because almost all the steps, which are in themselves very simple, depend for their originality on real whirling, or bodily expression. The first phase of the dance is in waltz tempo and is really very simple, indeed. We waltz Boston fashion, in the regular position for dancing, but not touching each other, beginning with the old-fashioned waltz step and gradually allowing the Boston glide to become more pronounced.

"The man leads the direction, in a very simple manner, with his eyes. Then the man catches the girl, holding her right hand from behind with his left, spins her around, and then catching her back to him, they dip together in the regular Boston dip. After this, the regular waltz is resumed and kept up till ready for the new movement.

"There is no particular length of time set for the dance. It all depends upon the inclination of the dancers, which fact places it directly within the reach of all, for any good waltz can be used.

The First Movement

THE SECOND MOVEMENT.

"In the second movement, the man holds the girl exactly as he would in the regulation waltz, but instead of directly facing each other, they incline toward the right to enable them to walk straight ahead. Then they take four very high steps, almost kicks, waltzing forward, then dip first to the right and then to the left, separate, and waltz back to back, come together again and dip, and then resume the ordinary waltz for as long a time as possible so as to prepare for the next whirl.

"The whirl in this waltz movement requires a perfect floor, and, incidentally a perfect balance. We depend upon perfect balance for all our dancing. The feature of the waltz whirl is what we have called flat-foot waltzing. In order to accomplish this, the man must be exceptionally light and must have a perfect sense of direction, for he must not take his heels or toes from the floor. He holds the girl in the usual way, however, and she in a double-time waltz step spins him rapidly around. If done quickly the effect is in very truth a whirl, but it is a difficult feature and needs plenty of practice. The girl assists the time for this, and she gradually takes more slowly until the regular waltz step is resumed by both.

THE GRACE WALTZ.

"We have called this first feature of our whirl the Grace Waltz, and it is wonderfully graceful when properly executed—but of course, like every other dance, its real beauty is spoiled if the underlying principle is neglected. This fact will help a great deal both in the rendition of this movement, as well as the others.

"For I cannot help remarking right here that an amateur can spoil the grace and beauty of any dance, even if the steps are danced correctly. The thing is, as I have said, only the dance, but to portray the soul of the dance, so that every phase of the dance can be expressed both in the correct steps and in the more graceful addition of perfect bodily movements."

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"Don't you think, dear," began Mr. Comfy, "that our next door neighbors the Scrubbs, are putting on a great deal too much style, considering the fact that they never know from day to day where the next meal is coming from?"

"Well," replied Mrs. Comfy, "you see, the more style they put on the more likely they are to be invited out to dinner."

Mabel Herbert Urner's Great Series:

Their Married Life

Helen Is Torn With Sympathy at the Needless Cruelty of a Lovers' Quarrel

By MABEL HERBERT URNER.

"LOOKS like Bob and his girl's had a row," announced Warren at breakfast.

Helen put down her coffee cup with an explosive:

"NO!"

"Well, I met him yesterday. Looked pretty glum. Admitted he hadn't seen her since Tuesday."

"What was it about? What did he say?" demanded Helen excitedly.

"Bob never says much, but they've quarreled all right."

"Oh, I'm SO sorry! I was afraid they might clash."

"Well, if they can't get along, they'd better find that out now."

"They haven't broken their engagement! It isn't that bad?"

Warren shrugged his shoulders. "Bob didn't give me any particulars. Men don't babble like women about those things."

"He stopped in here yesterday," reflected Helen, "and the day before—about five. Do you suppose he thought he might meet here here?"

"Why should he think that?"

"Because he said last week she was coming some afternoon soon to make her dinner call. I wonder," eagerly, "if I could——"

"Now see here—don't you get mixed up in this! You let Bob manage his own affairs. If I'd any sense, I wouldn't have told you. Now you'll be stewing around here all day, trying to think of some way to bring them together."

It was as Warren had surmised. All morning Helen worried about Louise whom she pictured eating her heart out in her longing to see Bob, yet too proud to make any overtures.

She wanted to call her up, but feared it might seem like an intrusion. However she stayed in all afternoon with the vague hope that Louise might call.

LOUISE CALLS

When at half-past four the phone rang and the boy announced "Miss Whitmore," Helen's intuition was confirmed.

Louise's face veil did not hide her pallor, and even through her gloves Helen felt that her hands were cold.

"This isn't just a dinner call, and I'm not going to pretend that it is," with the direct frankness that Helen loved in her. "Did you know Bob and I have—have quarreled?"

"Why—why no," stammered Helen untruthfully, with the thought that it might make Louise more comfortable.

"Well, we have." Louise's voice was quiet, but Helen felt the controlled quiver, "and I—I don't know just how it's coming out."

"Oh, but every engaged couple has some disagreements," comforted Helen. "You mustn't take a mere lovers' quarrel too seriously."

"I haven't seen Bob since Tuesday. He hasn't 'phoned or written."

"Have you?" asked Helen.

"Oh, no," with a flash of pride. "How COULD I?"

"What was it about? But perhaps you'd rather not tell me," quickly.

"Oh, it began with such a trivial thing! It was last Tuesday. Bob called up and wanted to take me to dinner. I said I'd be glad to go, but that afterward I'd have to attend a meeting of our Animal Aid Society. Bob said 'cut the meeting' and we'd go to the theatre. But we're organizing a new branch of the work—a rest farm for worn out horses, and I feel I ought to go."

"It was another bond of common interest, thought Helen, who was keenly in sympathy with every charitable animals.

"Bob was furious, but I finally persuaded him to come with me. Unfortunately there was hardly anyone at the meeting and we accomplished very little. All the way home he jeered at women's societies, said they were all impractical and never accomplished anything. He blamed me for spoiling our evening by what he called my 'sheer obstinacy.' Oh, I don't remember just what we said after that—we were both so excited!"

"I know—I know," murmured Helen, how one dispute leads to another until you grow desperate."

THE RIGHT WORD

"That's the word—desperate! We both said things we didn't mean. He stayed till twelve, but the more we talked the more the breach widened. The last thing he said was that when I wanted to see him I could let him, know. He wouldn't trouble me again until he heard from me."

"What a cruel position to put you in," murmured Helen.

"It WAS cruel!" Louise caught her breath in a sob. "He had no right to make that a condition. Now he's waiting for me to send for him, and I CAN'T! And he's—he's so unyielding! Oh, you don't know!"

"I'm married to his brother," answered Helen, simply.

"You don't think I should make the overtures, do you?" with a fierce pride. "You wouldn't, would you?"

Helen knew the many times she had done the "making up" with Warren, but she evaded the question.

"No—no, I can't! I would be unutterably wretched if I was constantly humiliating myself. It may be obstinacy, but I never could give in when I know I was right. I've told Bob all this, and he said we'd arrange our lives so there wouldn't be any chance for disputes—but how can we? We've been engaged less than a month, yet this is only the culmination of a dozen quarrels."

Helen sighed. It seemed so hopeless.

"Oh, I can't analyze my love for him. I only know no one ever had such a hold over me. And he—he's so undemonstrative, at times he's almost cold. Now that he's stayed away from me since Tuesday——"

With an impulsive gesture Helen laid her hand over Louise's.

"I want to tell you something that may help just a little. Bob was here both yesterday and the day before, about 5. I know now he came thinking he might meet you."

"What did he say? How did he seem?" breathlessly.

"He only stayed a moment. He made some excuse about coming for a reference book of Warren's. But I know now that was only an excuse, and I—wouldn't be surprised if he'd stop by this afternoon."

The color rushed to Louise's face, and she dropped her eyes to hide the light in them. There was a silence of several moments; then suddenly she rose. She was again quite pale.

"No," quietly, "I don't want it that way, either. I'm going home now—before he comes. If he found me here he'd think that was why I came, and perhaps it was. To be honest, there WAS a vague hope that I might meet him, or at least hear from him. But I'm not going to be so weak. If Bob wants to see me he must come to me. I'll not connive or scheme in any way to bring it about."

"If he should come after you're gone?" faltered Helen. "What shall I tell him? Is there anything you want me to say?"

"No, I wouldn't want him to know that I even discussed it with you. In a way that's a concession, too."

And with an impulsive, tremulous kiss she was gone.

For the next twenty minutes Helen, anxious and distraught, wandered restlessly about the apartment. Then the door bell rang and Bob entered.

"Was up in this neighborhood and just dropped in to bring back the book I took yesterday."

BOB IS DISAPPOINTED

He glanced quickly in the front room, and Helen thought she saw a subtle shade cross his face.

"I'm too bad you didn't come a few moments earlier," with studied carelessness, "you could have taken Louise home."

"Oh, was she here?" he had turned to put the book on the table now, and Helen could not see his face.

"Yes, I told her if she'd wait, you might come by. But she seemed to be in a hurry."

"Yes, Louise is always in a hurry. These modern young women lead a strenuous life. Well, I'm off."

"You'd better stay for dinner, now that you're here," suggested Helen, for want of something to say. "It won't be long before Warren comes."

"Thank you, I'd like to, but I've some work to do tonight. So long."

Helen stood by the window and watched him cross the street. She could not help a grudging admiration for his reticence. As much as he had wanted to ask about Louise, he had not. At least Louise had had the comfort of talking about it, but Bob had not even had that.

Helen was still gazing out the window, brooding over the hopelessness of it all, when the telephone rang.

"It's Louise," came a faltering voice. "I couldn't help calling up to know——"

"Yes, he was here," interrupted Helen, "he has just left. All I said was that I was sorry he hadn't come sooner, for he might have taken you home. I said it carelessly—he didn't guess that I knew."

"What did he say?" The wire carried all of Louise's tenseness.

"Nothing—absolutely nothing. I said you had to hurry off, and his very words were, 'Too, Louise is always in a hurry.' These modern young women lead a strenuous life.' That was all. And I said nothing more. That was right, wasn't it? You didn't want me to say anything?"

"No—no; that was right. You did exactly right! I'm not weakening. I know my calling up now seems as though I was—but I'm not! Only I thought he might write, for I felt I had been there. That was all."

Oh, the inconsistencies, the strength, the weakness, the conflicting, baffling impulses of a woman in love! Helen turned from the telephone, torn with her understanding and pity of it all.

CLEARLY UNJUST

Ever since they came to school that morning two of the boys had been persistently naughty. At last, therefore, the teacher, now thoroughly exasperated, turned to them angrily, and said that they must stay in during playtime until each had written his name one thousand times.

Playtime duly came, and, as the rest of the class rose and hastened from the room to enjoy a spell of freedom, the two miscreants settled down to their irksome imposition.

Five minutes later the teacher returned to see how they were getting on, and found a heated argument in progress.

"Come, come!" she asked. "What's the matter now?"

Whereupon one of the boys burst into tears.

"Tain't fair, mum!" he gasped. "His name's Tim Burr, and mine's Alexander D'Bungbungay!"

Beauty

Miss Anna Held Tells of Her Own Complexion Secrets.

Written Especially for the Magazine Page

To have a good complexion Miss Held says: Avoid ordinary cosmetics. Avoid highly seasoned foods. Avoid alcohol. A good complexion is based on a good digestion.

Miss Anna Held.

By ANNA HELD

(With John Cort's "All-Star Variety Jubilee.")
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NEAR and dear to every woman's heart is a beautiful complexion.

Peaches and cream, snow and roses, old ivory—all are terms that poets themselves have not hesitated to use of a fair, soft-hued skin.

Are you in despair over a complexion that is muddy of hue, coarse of grain, and covered with blotches instead of decorated by health's smooth-laid coloring? Here is new hope for you. More than that, here is my absolute assurance as a Frenchwoman and an artiste that IF YOU WILL FAITHFULLY FOLLOW MY DIRECTIONS YOU MAY ACQUIRE A COMPLEXION THAT IS A JOY TO THE BEHOLDER INSTEAD OF A WORRY TO THE POSSESSOR.

The very first rule I would lay down for the would-be possessor of a good complexion is: Avoid as you would Satan himself all ordinary cosmetics.

The second rule is: Avoid all over-accented foods. By this I mean very sweet, very sour, very highly seasoned, very acid and very rich foods.

AVOID ALCOHOL

The third rule is: Avoid alcohol. Alcohol is destructive to the complexion, because it heats the blood. The temperature should be normal. Anything above pumps the blood to the face and produces a red or purplish hue which is absolutely destructive to good looks. The constant use of alcoholic drinks will enlarge the little veins across the cheeks and on the nose. If once this happens, madame, your beauty is hopelessly consumed. I am not writing a critique of morals—but I say as earnestly as any moralist would: Do not drink liquors of any kind unless they have been prescribed by a competent physician!

Now, if you have accepted my advice as to what not to do—not to paint, not to drink and not to let foodstuffs poison you—we are ready to decide what to do.

On rising in the morning and on going to bed at night drink two glasses of cold, clear water. Do not drink at meals. The digestive juices do not flow if during the period of eating cold water washes the food down and makes a poor attempt to fulfil the functions of those important juices. Drink at least four glasses of water between your meals, and an artiste that IF YOU WILL FAITHFULLY FOLLOW MY DIRECTIONS YOU MAY ACQUIRE A COMPLEXION THAT IS A JOY TO THE BEHOLDER INSTEAD OF A WORRY TO THE POSSESSOR. Before going to bed at night eat an apple. The juices are soothing to the stomach nerves. For breakfast take either orange or stewed fruit. Substitute this stewed fruit for the rich desserts that are a harvest of unsightly pimples over your face. Avoid sudden changes from hot to cold in foodstuffs—and remember that while hot coffee at the end of a meal aids digestion, ice cream freezes the power of the functions. A little cup after your meals will aid digestion—AND ON A GOOD DIGESTION A GOOD COMPLEXION IS BASED.

Now we have laid a firm foundation for a clear skin. How shall we care for it externally as well as internally?

A very sensitive skin will be found to respond to baths of milk. If your face refuses to be clear and unblemished try washing it in warm water, a dry, and then in milk. Thus you may keep it quite clean, and at the same time it will be saved possible irritation from water that is not absolutely pure.

FOR THE AVERAGE SKIN

For the average skin this treatment will be found most effective: Wring a towel out of hot water and apply to the face. Repeat this until the skin is faintly pink. Then rub in gently an absolutely reliable cold cream. Wipe this off with a fine soft cloth. And now comes a "cold plunge" for the face. Fill a basin with ice cold water and plunge the face in again and again. This will bring the blood coursing to the surface. The hot towels have relaxed the tight skin, and the cold cream has fetched the dirt from the pores which opened under the towel's manipulations.

Now apply with clean, absorbent cotton this lotion which I am going to give you. Have your chemist mix a solution of 10 per cent. absolutely pure alcohol and 40 per cent. absolutely pure water—distilled water. To this add equal parts of boracic acid and resorcin until the solution is saturated—that is, will carry no more. Shake well and "dust" the liquid over the face. Nor garnee nor dirt will live on the surface of your clean, fine skin.

Ben jour, mesdames! Is not the day indeed fine—for you face the light with a fine, white skin, all the result of a few weeks of care. Continue the care, I beg, for soon you will have skin as sweet and fine as that of your babyhood days. And then indeed, I think you will call Madame Anna our true friend.

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Up-to-the Minute Jokes

Two experienced anglers went fishing the other day. One sat on the pier, while he other stood. Just before beginning operations they made a wager with each other as to who would make the biggest catch of fish.

They had been fishing for about half an hour with little or no success, when John, who was standing, lost his balance and fell off the pier.

As he was heading past Dick the latter gave a yell and said:

"Hi, Jones, if you are goin' to dive for 'em, the bet's off."

Moved by an impulse he could not resist, he suddenly kissed her.

"Oh, Herbert!" she exclaimed, "that's not right."

"I'm sorry, Helen," replied Herbert, humbly, "I did the best I knew how. Don't you show me the proper way?"

GREATER LOVE

True Story of Boston's Little Lost Sister Who Found Herself

By JANET WRIGHT.

CHAPTER VI.

"Man's Law."

In the municipal court one morning I had watched for an hour or so the dreary procession of unfortunates coming there to face man's law, when a sudden stir of the detention pen caught my attention.

This pen is like a huge box stall. To breast height it is of wood—above, a steel grillwork. The prisoners are herded inside, and as their names are called their faces appear behind the grill-pale and dim in the gloomy room, like the faces of ghosts. Beyond, they are invisible behind the wall of the pen. When they stand their head and shoulders come into view. They bob up and down like manikins at the clerk's call.

It is a very businesslike place, this municipal court. Beside the detention pen is the court officer's stand. A policeman or a deputy is always on duty there—ready if a culprit is slow to rise at his name, to arouse the prisoner with a sharp word. The probation office opens off the court room, and thence come calm and capable men and women to advise with the judge on almost every case before final disposal is made. The probation system in theory is admirable thing. But the great need in Boston is that it to probation in fact and not merely in name—that the staff of the probation office be increased so as to make it possible to pay real, personal attention to worthy cases.

HEARD SOUND OF SOBS.

There is a small bar enclosure in the courtroom—then the clerk's bench, and above that, the judge's seat. The proceedings are usually quiet. It is seldom that a word is spoken above an undertone—save when some attorney, cross-examining a policeman or prosecuting witness, lifts his voice to an argumentative pitch. The court is like a whirlpool through which drift daily the dregs, derelicts of the city. Some are sucked down and never appear again—others bob through the ordeal and go pitching and tossing off on a new orbit—which only leads, all too often, back to the courtroom again.

On this particular morning there came that stir in the detention pen and I caught the sound of sobs—not the hysterical, maudlin weeping that is a daily occurrence—but deep, racking sobs that tore at one's very heart.

I was sitting clear across the room, but at the sound I rose, slipped over to the officer's stand—the policeman and court officers knew no long before this—and peered inside the pen.

I made out the weeping girl at last. She was bent over, her head pillowed on her arms, her shoulders shaking. After a few minutes her name—"Jane Martin"— was called, and she was formally charged with larceny.

The court went through the usual routine, and at the request of the prosecuting policeman the girl was held for further hearing two days later. Immediately after she was taken to the House of Detention, and I followed, found the matron and begged to be allowed to see her in her cell.

Jane Martin was a girl of eighteen. She was of a peculiar type—pretty as you could ask—black hair, deep blue eyes (that rare and wonderful combination) and cheeks which even now in her sorrow and grief had their touch of warm red.

WEDDING RING BLUFF.

I found her, broken with weeping, bent in a corner of her cell and ashamed even to lift her face. It was an hour's task to win her confidence and to learn her story. I had noticed that she wore a wedding ring, and asked at last if I could find her husband for her.

She shook her head miserably. "I'm not married," she said. "This"—with a gesture toward the ring—"is just a bluff."

I thought of how I, too, had bluffed, with that nowadays ring in the first days of my life alone, and felt a new well of sympathy within me. But this child—by and by, when she had quieted and had come to me for help—her story came out. I give it here just as she told it to me, so far as my memory serves.

"I'm charged with larceny," she began at last. "They say I stole a watch. Well, I did."

She looked very little and weak and totally incapable of any other crime, as she continued:

"I stole it—to buy this." She pointed again to that wedding ring upon her finger. "Harry said he'd marry me if I would get the ring. I got it—but he wouldn't marry me."

Then after a pause, she went back to the beginning of her pitiable little romance.

"I haven't heard from mother for three months," she told me bitterly. "I guess she don't want to see me again.

"She never liked Harry much, but he was awful good to me for a while, and mother was always working, and I never did anything but scold. Harry's mother, Mrs. Smart, is a widow with a lot of money, so he doesn't have to work.

"We got to love each other awful well. He asked me to marry him, and I said I would. Then after a while he said we couldn't get married because he couldn't get his mother's consent, and he didn't have the nerve to ask her. And so he couldn't support me. He said he was afraid to ask his mother if we could get married, for fear she wouldn't give him any pocket money.

GOT JOB AS WAITER.

"Harry always had plenty of money, and good clothes. He used to give me good times. Mother was working dished in a restaurant, and I never had a chance to do anything except when Harry took me around.

"Mother kept scolding at me about him, and I would so cry and tell her as I had been, after a while—but I wanted him, and I got him in July.

"Last Summer I got me a job at the beach, waiting on table, and made money—more than I'd ever seen and had a good time. Harry used to come down right often—every week-end—and I thought things were fine. Then he was there. Then the Summer rush ended, and I was fired.

"I was home—and Harry had been writing to mother all Summer, but she hadn't given me much, and when I showed up at home she gave me holy cain."

The girl had been foolish—silly—wicked. And the mother had done her best, according "to her lights." But did she ever do anything but scold her daughter? And was it not, nothing but fault, that mothers are not taught how to win and hold their daughters' confidence? The poor child was forced to spend her whole day at the most fatiguing sort of work—had no leisure for her daughter, had no chance for life herself. Surely, civilization has never done anything than this for the women who through its cruel terribis suffering keep the race alive!

Washing dishes in a restaurant! A thousand times worse than scrubbing greasy kettles, dirty dishes, filthy towels, hands cracked and bleeding in the soapy water! Does not a mother equ to bestow better than this?

The girl continued:

"She said she didn't want nothing to do with me, and so I rustled out and got another job—packing in a cracker factory. I hated it—never stuck it out as long as I could, working all day and seeing Harry every evening. Finally I told him that we'd ought to get married.

HE WASN'T A J. P.

"'Well, Janie,' he said, 'you know I'm crazy about you. But darn it, how can we get married when I'm not earning a cent? I can't seem to get a job. And mamma would raise Cain if I married you, so we wouldn't get anything from her.'

"'Harry, I told him. 'I don't care if you never have a cent. You don't have to support me. I can take care of myself, just like I do now. But we ought to be married. You know that.'

"He wouldn't do it. 'Listen, Kid,' he said. 'If wedding rings were a cent a dozen I couldn't buy a look at one. And you can't get married without a license, or without paying for it.'

"I didn't argue with him any more then. I couldn't. And things went on that way for weeks—with my dreams full of wedding rings. I saw them in my sleep. They whirled in front of my eyes when I was awake.

"I'd see women on the street cars and places, with wedding rings on their hand, and it just seemed like those rings grinned at me and I could hear them whispering in my head: 'Don't you wish you had us? Don't you wish you had us?'

"I went crazy on the subject, I guess. I'd have given my life for the right to wear one of those little yellow bands on my finger. I brooded over it and brooded over it day and night. I felt I would have to have one. I felt—

"I did have an idea, and perhaps she read in my face something of the sympathy in my heart, for she went on more readily.

"Then about two weeks ago I got final from the cracker factory. The foreman told me that I was there long enough for the work. I went and stayed in my room for two days, trying to think what to do. I didn't know any place to go. Is there any place where girls like me could go?"

NEED HOME FOR GIRLS.

There was a pathetic wistfulness in her face as she put the question to me. I had to tell her that Boston's hospitality to unfortunate girls is very grudging—that there is hardly a place in the city where she would be received with any sort of a welcome. It is at this critical time in their life that girls most need a friend and trust and kindness—and it is at this time that they are shunned most violently by many of the so-called "charitable institutions."

Boston's need, above all else, is a great home where girls in a critical condition can go—can find something approaching a home—where they can stay as long as they need help, free, and without being forced to drag into the light every sorrowful secret of their broken hearts.

(To Be Continued Monday.)

Sentenced Banker Files Writ of Error

Following the sentence of Henry Whitney Munroe, head of the manking house of Munroe & Co., of New York and Paris, to a fine of $250 and ten days in the Charles Street jail for contempt of court, for failing to produce papers required by the Federal Grand Jury in investigating smuggling charges, Boyd B. Jones, representing Munroe, filed a writ of error, which was allowed by Judge Morton and will be argued before the United States Circuit court of Appeals in January. Munroe was released in the sum of $2,500.

This serial is written in the form of the life story of a country girl who fell victim to conditions in Boston. The names used are all fictitious, but no character appears in the serial that is not taken from real life. No important incident occurs which has not actually happened in Boston within the last year, and the conditions portrayed are minimized, rather than exaggerated.

The serial is offered as a picture of the lives of Boston's Little Lost Sisters. It is designed to shed some light on causes underlying the terrible conditions of the city and if it helps such remedies may be suggested.

The facts upon which the serial is based were given to the AMERICAN'S staff of Boston's most informed social workers, who vouches for every statement. The serial is in the form of the life story of JANET WRIGHT—one of the Little Lost Sisters who found herself—and is told by herself.

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Latest in Today's Stock Markets

By W. H. ROSS, Financial Editor.

Stocks were not as strong today, opening at slight recessions and closing fractionally lower on the average. Trading in New York was less active than during the morning yesterday, but was of good volume for all that for a final session of the year. New Haven was an exceptionally strong issue, and in New York the most urgent demand for it was said to be from Boston. Canadian Pacific was weak, closing 1¾ lower. London sold that issue, Steel and Union Pacific in New York. The local market was not as broad nor active as it has been of late.

At the close in this city, Boston & Maine was up ½ and New Haven 2. Losses included: United Fruit ½, American Telephone ½, Butte & Superior ⅝, North Butte ⅛, Osceola 1, Mohawk 2½, Calumet & Arizona 3, and Shoe ½. Granby, Copper Range and Old Dominion were fractionally higher.

New Haven was up at the end in New York, where final gains included Missouri Pacific ⅝, Amalgamated ⅝ and Utah 3/8ths. Among the declines were Southern Pacific ⅜, Reading ⅜, Lehigh ⅜, Lehigh Valley 3, American Telephone ¼, American Can ⅝, Steel ⅝ and American Smelting ⅜.

The weekly statement of averages of the associated banks and trust companies in New York showed excess cash reserve decreased $5,030,000; loans increased $12,726,000; specie decreased $2,370,000; legals increased $371,000; deposits increased $13,620,000; circulation increased $213,000.

The following statement was issued to stockholders of the Arlington Mills today by President Franklin W. Hobbs:

"Under present conditions the directors of the Arlington Mills do not feel that a dividend should be paid and so have passed the regular quarterly paid January first, but with every expectation that dividends will be resumed next July."

The Arlington is the second largest woolen mill in the country and located in Lawrence. This is the first time the company has passed a dividend since 1897.

PROFIT TAKING CONTINUED.

The profit taking which was the feature of the New York market at intervals yesterday, and particularly in the last hour, was continued at the opening today. There was less demand for stocks and a reactionary tendency set in after the Pacific dropped nearly three points around the opening on a partial recovery later. Most of the recessions were fractional. Reading, Union Pacific, Steel and St. Paul were among leaders to decline. After fifteen minutes a number of issues made slight recoveries. The feature of the lower range was due to completion for the time being of short covering. Most Americans were lower at the close of the London market, which reopened today.

PRESIDENT WILSON'S PLANS.

It is reported from Washington that President Wilson has finished a plan for dealing with the trust problem and will submit it to Congress early in January. It is said that he wants penalties provided for the men in control of big interests violating the trust and monopoly law to break up the "community of interest" plan among corporations and to do away with interlocking directorates.

Criminal prosecution of corporation directors and officers where there has been willful violation of the law instead of civil suits for the recovery of nominal damages.

There is to be no radical trust legislation with the consent of the administration.

It is stated there will be supplemental legislation to the Sherman anti-trust act, but no amendment of it, and it is proposed to have Congress specifically define what constitutes a trust or monopoly and what is unreasonable restraint of trade.

$185,000,000 BANKED.

According to George W. Coffin, former controller of currency, national banks now have in their vaults $185,000,000 more cash than they need to meet all requirements of legal currency act for a year to come. This, he says, will serve as a basis for expansion of credit if it can be put to put them in a position to handle all the sound new business offered without in that period without any assurance of relations now existing between the banks.

"At the outset," he states, "it appears that the law, which has been framed on very good banking principles, promises to accomplish most excellent results for the business interests of the whole country."

FINANCIAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Bank of England's weekly report, issued today, shows that the proportion of the Bank's reserve to liabilities is now 42.12 per cent, against 56.10 last week and compares with a decline from 43 to 38 per cent. in the corresponding week last year.

East Butte's November copper production decreased 83,507 pounds, compared with its October output.

Directors of the United States Trust Company have declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 12½ per cent., payable January 1, 1914, to stockholders of record December 27, 1913.

BOSTON STOCKS.

(Inactive stocks not quoted.)

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Last.
Boston & Albany	250	250	250
Boston & Lowell	130½	130½	130½
Boston & Maine	67½	67	67½
Chicago, R. I. & P.	77	77	77
W. Y., N. H. & H.	77½	77½	77½
Vermont	165	165	165

MINING STOCKS.

Allouez	37	37	37
Arcadian	9	9	9
Arizona Commercial	4¾	4¾	4¾
Bonanza	700	700	700
Calumet & Ariz.	64	63½	64
Calumet & Hecla	750	750	750
Centennial	37	36½	37
Copper Range	57	56½	57
Daly-West	20	20	20
Granby Consol.	29¾	29¾	29¾
La Salle Copper	4	4	4
Mohawk	44¾	43½	44¾
North Butte	44¾	43½	44¾
Old Colony	25	25	25
Old Dominion	31	30½	31
Osceola	47	47	47
Quincy	47	47	47
St. Mary's Land	33½	33	33½
Shannon	11	11	11
Tamarack	31	30½	30½
Utah Con.	6	6	6
Utah Copper	51½	50½	51½
Winona	4	4	4
Wolverine	97	97	97

LAND COMPANIES.

East Boston	11	11	11

TELEPHONES.

American	125½	125½	125½
New England	133	133	133

ELECTRIC COMPANIES.

Edison Elec. Ill.	234	234	234

MISCELLANEOUS.

American Pneumatic	2	2	2
Mass. Gas	89½	89½	89½
United Fruit	163	162½	162½
United Shoe Mach.	55½	54½	55
United Shoe Mach. pf.	49	49	49

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Amalgamated	74¾	74¾	74¾
Am. Agri. Chem.	46	46	46
Alaska Gold	21¼	21¼	21¼
Am. Woolen pref.	76½	76	76
Am. Zinc	27½	27½	27½
Atlantic G. & W. I. pf.	16¾	16¾	16¾
Braden	8¾	8¾	8¾
Butte & Superior	32	31½	31½
Cuba	30¾	30¾	30¾
East Butte	11¼	11¼	11¼
Emerson	17	17	17
Inland Steel	42	42	42
Inland Creek pf.	83½	83½	83½
Nat. Lead	59	59	59
New Haven rts.	1 3/16	1	1 3/16
Nipissing	8 3/16	8	8 3/16
Pond Creek	19½	19½	19½
Shattuck-Arizona	25¼	25¼	25¼
Superior Boston	2 3/16	2	2 3/16
U. S. Oil Co.	10¾	10¾	10¾
U. S. Smelting	41¾	41	41¾
U. S. Smelting pref.	45½	45½	45½
Tonopah	3	3	3

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(Inactive stocks not quoted.)

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Closing
Atch., T. & S. F.	94¾	94¼	94¼
Atch., T. & S. F. pf.	96¾	96¾	96¾
Canadian Pac.	207½	207½	207½
Ches. & Ohio	69¾	69¾	69¾
Chicago, M. & P.	100¾	99¾	100
Chi. Mercantile	20¾	20¾	20¾
Chi., R. I. & Pac.	77½	77	77
Int.-Met.	62	61½	61½
Int.-Met. pf.	111¾	111¾	111¾
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	30	29½	29¾
Mo., Kan. & Tex. pf.	62½	62	62
N. Y. C. & Hud.	92½	92½	92½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	77½	77½	77½
Norfolk & West	102	101½	101½
Northern Pac.	109¾	109¾	109¾
Pennsylvania	106½	106½	106½
Reading	169½	169	169½
Rock Island	20¾	20¾	20¾
Southern Pac.	93¾	93	93
Southern Ry.	23½	23½	23½
Union Pacific	151½	149½	149½

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amal. Copper	74¾	74¼	74¼
Am. Beet Sug.	125½	125½	125½
Am. Can	32¾	32¾	32¾
Am. Can pf.	119½	119½	119½
Am. Car & F.	64¾	64¾	64¾
Am. Cot. Oil	54¾	54¾	54¾
Am. Cot. Oil pf.	107	106½	106½
Am. Ice Sec.	30¾	30¾	30¾
Am. Linseed	30¾	30¾	30¾
Am. Linseed pf.	77½	77½	77½
Amer. Smelting	77½	77½	77½
Am. Sug. Ref.	124	124	124
Am. Tel. & Tel.	134¾	134¾	134¾
Am. Tobacco	234	234	234
Anaconda Con.	37½	37½	37½
Am. Woolen	77½	77½	77½
Cuba Cane	34¾	34¾	34¾
Cuba Cane pf.	94¾	94¾	94¾
Corn Products	17½	17	17½
Distillers	37	36¾	36¾
Gen. Electric	164	164	164
Int. Harvester	122	122	122
Int. Paper	20¾	20¾	20¾
Int. Paper pf.	66¾	66	66
Mex. Pet.	66¾	66	66¾
Mexican Metals	35¾	30¾	30¾
Nevada Consol.	19¾	19¾	19¾
New Idaho	75c	75c	75c
Smelt.	1	1	1

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

	High.	Low.	Last.
British	2¼	2¼	2¼
Bay State Gas	2⅜	1⅜	2⅜
Boston Far	45c	45c	45c
Davis Daly	1 15-16	1 15-16	1 15-16
Elm Richland	⅛	⅛	⅛
Houghton	2¾	2¾	2¾
La Rose	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16
Majestic	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
McKinley	1 1-16	1 1-16	1 1-16
Mexican Metals	35⅛	30c	30c
Nevada Douglas	1¾	1 5-16	1¾
New Baltic	75c	75c	75c
Smoky	1	1	1

Sues Schwab on $103,000 Stock Deal

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A suit against Charles M. Schwab for $103,000 was begun in the Supreme Court here by Harry S. Black, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Realty and Improvement Company. The suit is based on the difference in the value of 5,000 shares of Bethlehem Steel stock on dates mentioned.

Auto News

By J. C. KERRISON.

The committee on ways and means of the Bay State Automobile Association held an active session at the headquarters of the organization in the Hotel Lenox yesterday afternoon. The affairs of the club were gone over in detail and several proposed lines of action were suggested and discussed. It is understood that the committee has reached a definite idea as to the recommendations it will make at the meeting of the club on Monday, but these recommendations will not be announced until the club meeting.

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J. H. MacAlman, New England distributor of the Stearns-Knight cars has just received word that the F. B. Stearns Company, makers of the Stearns car, has declared another 25 per cent. cash dividend on its capital stock, which, in addition to the eight per cent. declared July 1, makes 33 per cent. dividends declared for the year.

"The F. B. Stearns," says Mr. MacAlman, "has no preferred stock, no mortgages or bonds outstanding and is engaged in a thoroughly good financial condition."

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H. B. Severance, sales manager of the Kelly-Racine Tire Company, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents in Cambridge. Mr. Severance was for many years identified with the motor and tire industry in New England and went West to accept a responsible position with the Hartford Rubber Works Company at Chicago and Detroit, he later being called to assume the duties of the position he now occupies.

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A muff, made to slip over the sterling wheel, and of sufficient size to include the hands, protects the hands from cold when driving. The muff may be made of simply two thicknesses of heavy wool cloth or felt. It should be twenty-one inches square for use on an eighteen-inch steering wheel, and have a slit half the depth of the under side to admit the steering column.

The Reece Button Hole Machine Company

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND No. 111

A quarterly dividend of three (3) per cent. has been declared payable Jan. 2, 1914, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 31, 1913.

FRANCIS A. SHEA, President.

The International Button Hole Sewing Machine Company

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND No. 65

A quarterly dividend of one (1) per cent. has been declared payable Jan. 2, 1914, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 31, 1913.

FRANCIS A. SHEA, President.

Reece Folding Machine Company

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND No. 19

A quarterly dividend of one (1) per cent. has been declared payable Jan. 15, 1914, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 31, 1913.

FRANCIS A. SHEA, President.

High Spots in the Busy Life of Mayor Fitzgerald

By RICHARD F. FIELD.

CHAPTER VI.

I met a very dear friend of Mayor Fitzgerald. He told me he was reading my story of the "Little General." This friend has suggested a better title for him, namely, "The Napoleon of Politics."

Sometimes we hear people say harsh things about politics and politicians. They associate politics with all that is vulgar and coarse. In this they are in error. Some of our greatest statesmen were indeed masters in the field of politics.

I will state, and I do so advisedly, that history will grant John F. Fitzgerald a place with the biggest men of his time. I believe that he is perfectly willing to be called a politician, but we must admit that he has a splendid mind for government. His record in the State Senate, his record in Congress and his record as Mayor of this great city is evidence enough.

When the Mayor retired from Congress he purchased the Republic. Boston knows the success of that publication, and it must be said that this success is due to the Mayor's rugged honesty and ability. I had talked concerning the publication of a weekly paper in Boston that would give the best prophets and the best of the week's happenings. That paper devotes its pages to the sports, news, society, politics, finance and church notes. The paper is too well known and appreciated to give it more space in this article.

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In 1905 came the unexpected and tragic death of Mayor Collins. Then indeed the duties of Ward 6 became the acting Mayor. The death of Mayor Collins created a most unusual political situation and the big political leaders in the city got their heads together. After many conferences they selected Judge Edward F. Donovan, he was city clerk, to be the organization candidate.

Hundreds of John's old time friends asked him to enter the fight against Donovan.

But still John hesitated about announcing his candidacy. His brothers did not care to have him enter the field.

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The pleadings of his friends, however, proved too much, and finally John decided to run. His brother "Jim" was very much opposed to the idea and asked John to consult a physician. This he did and when the physician, Dr. Gannett, told him that he was fit for the fight he came out with a statement.

The next day hundreds of volunteered to help him. It was to be a young men's fight. And it was a fight. Within a week scores of political leaders deserted the Donovan camp and joined him. John coined the now famous campaign slogan, "A Bigger, Better and Busier Boston."

He had quarters in the Winthrop building on Washington street and during the fight the Mayor accomplished something that had never been attempted before. He covered every ward in the city on the final night of the campaign. The schedule was very cleverly made and with few exceptions he arrived in each wardroom on time.

The result is well known. He carried twenty-one out of the twenty-five wards, and was defeated in two of those four wards by a small plurality. Mr. Frothingham won the Republican nomination. Judge Dewey ran as an independent in the election, but Fitzgerald won.

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My! Rockefeller'll Be Mad About This

OROVILLE, Cal., Dec. 27.—Peeved by the fact that John D. Rockefeller has turned a deaf ear to their repeated requests to sell them a schoolhouse, the patrons of the Rockefeller school district in this county have decided to change its name and are petitioning to have it rechristened the "Ida M. Tarbell School District."

HEAR PLEA TO KILL NEW HAVEN BIG BOND ISSUE

Chief Justice Rugg surprised spectators at the hearing before the full bench of the Supreme Court today on the petition of Morgan G. Bulkeley and others to annul the Public Service Commissioner's order authorizing the $67,500,000 bond issue, by stopping Nathan Matthews, attorney for Mr. Bulkeley, in the midst of his argument.

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Brandeis in Capital for Rate Hearings

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Louis D. Brandeis of Boston is here making ready for resumption of the Eastern rate hearings. He says an early date for this will be arranged. Many communities and commercial bodies have applied to him to be represented at the hearings.

Navy Yard Men Get Pay Raise Report

The executive board of Bunker Hill Lodge of Machinists, the Navy Yard men, has received the report of Thomas J. Savage and James Ago, who represented the machinists at a hearing before Assistant Secretary Roosevelt of the Navy Department at Washington. It was said the machinists hope a wage rate for them will result.

PORT OF BOSTON

ARRIVED FRIDAY.

Iberian, from Manchester.
Saginaw, from Hamburg.
Manet, from London.
Mount Vernon, from Salzburg.
Howard D. Crane, from Baltimore.
Nantucket, from Norfolk and Newport News.
Pelham, from Philadelphia.
Nacoochee, from Savannah.

SAILED FRIDAY.

Esparta, for Port Limon.
Tiraris, for Hamburg, via New York.
Jamestown, for Liverpool.
Schenectady, for Jacksonville and Baltimore.
H. S. Whitney, for New York.

DUE TODAY.

Hilton, from Port Natal and Montevideo.
Hesperidan, from Buenos Ayres, via Barbadoes.
Bohemian, from Liverpool.

DUE MONDAY.

Tiviran, from Port Limon and Colon, via Kingston.
Ponce, from Juarez.

DUE TUESDAY.

North Point, from Port Natal.
Medford Hall, from Calcutta and Colombo.
Clifton, from Glasgow.
Chagres, from Kingston and St. Halifax.
Sachem, from Liverpool.

DUE WEDNESDAY.

Lindenfels, from Calcutta and Colombo.

DUE FRIDAY.

Linda Fell, from Buenos Ayres.
Lichfield, from Calcutta and Colombo.
Cumberland, from Copenhagen and Christiania, via Shields.
Polaris, from Yokohama, Cochin, etc.
Bantick, from Algiers.

DUE SATURDAY.

Honorius, from Buenos Ayres and Montevideo.
Rotarian, from Rotterdam.

NOTES.

The Leyland liner Athenian was 650 miles east of Boston light at 12 m. Thursday. She will dock at Commonwealth pier.
Several vessels sailing from Boston yesterday were driven back to port by the northeast snow storm.

Steamships.

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Postmaster Mansfield announced today that books would be accepted for transmission by parcel post on and after March 16 next. The rates will be the same as on other articles, except that books weighing eight ounces or less will cost one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

Rothschild Builds $20,000 Paper House

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Baron Henri de Rothschild has had built here a full sized model in cardboard of a mansion he plans to erect. The cardboard mansion, which is complete in every detail, cost $20,000.

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The Greater Sinner

BY VANCE THOMPSON

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ANCIENT PHILOSOPHY OF VEDANTA, 16 St. James st., corner Tremont, with lecture by Swami Paramanada, of India, Sunday, 3 p.m. Divine Communion, 11 a.m. Public invited.

ALLERTON HALL—1256 Washington st., Dilda spiritual meetings every Sunday at 7.30 p. m.; Mrs. Nellie Vaughn, medium.

THE SUNDAY COMMONS, Charles Fletcher Lewis—Sunday at 3.30 p. m. in Washington Chambers Hall, 30 Huntington av.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH, Washington Hall, 878 Mass. av., Cambridge; Rev. Joseph Tredwell, minister; Sunday, 3.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN UNION—Dorchester, Sunday, 3 p.m. Woman Still in the Child Stage"; 4.30 p.m. Conversation; admission free.

PATRIOTIC meeting, Parker Memorial Hall, 33 Berkeley st. Address by Rt. Hon. Napoleon Bac, 2.30; speaker, Dr. Slattery; good music and solos.

MRS. A. ROY will hold circle Sunday evening at 7.30; each person receives messages. 9 Rutland st., suite 4.

UNIVERSALIST.

ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Virginia st., Dor., Rev. Geo. L. Perin, D. D., pastor—Morning worship 10:45 o'clock; Sunday school, 12:15; ladies' vested choir; all welcome.

NEW UNIVERSALIST CHURCH of Brookline, the Rev. Charles Cloukey, D. D., pastor—Morning worship at 10:45 o'clock. Cordial welcome to all.

CONGREGATIONAL.

MOUNT VERNON CHURCH, Beacon st. and Mass. Institute of Technology, Austin Richard, minister; Sunday school, 9.45; morning worship, 11; subject, "Christmas Thoughts for the New Year;" evening worship with united church, 7.45; subject, "Christmas Thoughts for Those Who Are Saved;" the following music will be given: Organ prelude, "Christmas Pastorale," Kinder; anthem, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," Shelley; solo, "Sing Ye Low," Shelley, Mr. Everett Page; duet, "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night," Meissner, the Misses Mabelle Patterson, soprano; Mrs. Lillian Hamilton Thompson, alto; Mr. George E. Hills, tenor; Mr. Walter Hunting, bass; Mr. Kenneth Shaw Usher, January 1, 7.45 p. m. All strangers and visitors are always welcome at this church.

OLD SOUTH CHURCH—Rev. George Gilbert Ellis, D. D., the minister, will preach at 10.30 a. m., subject, "The Shadow of the Cross." Sunday school at 12. Service for the Old Year at 7.30 p. m. Rev. Willis H. Butler, the assistant minister, will preach at 10.30 a. m. Next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock Dr. Ellis will give the seventh of his series of addresses entitled "The Influence of Personality." Subject: Reminiscences of the Author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Subject for Sunday morning: Christ Brotherhood: Between Church and Present Society." Sunday, 3 p. m. at which Christmas music will be rendered by the choir. Sunday evening will be readings from Christmas Songs, Poems.

CHARLESTOWN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward W. Brooks, pastor; Rev. Frederick Lincoln Brooks, associate pastor; Sunday, 10.30 a. m., "Coming to Oneself, Going to the Father"; 7.00 p. m., Christmas Carols. Rev. Frederick L. Brooks will preach.

CENTRAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Cor. Newbury and Berkeley sts., Rev. William Sewall Rainsford, D. D., minister; Rev. Albert Sumner Hyde, associate minister; Sunday, 10:30.

LEONARD MEMORIAL (Children's Church), —10 Warrenton st., service at 10:30 Sunday school at 12. Rev. Frederick F. Shannon, pastor; every body welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

PEOPLE'S TEMPLE—Corner Columbus av. and Berkeley st., Rev. Frederick F. Emerson, pastor. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening. 10.45 a. m., "Christmas Gifts." 7.30 p. m., "Christmas Carols." Sunday school at 12. Men's class taught by Rev. Warren W. Adams, director. Men's meeting at 6.30 p. m. Junior Sunday school meeting at 3. Pleasant Sunday afternoon.

CHURCH of the Higher Life, 30 Huntington av., Hall 313, Sunday, 3 p. m., "Divine Incarnation;" Christmas music repeated; Mrs. Florence Lowell Barrows, pianist; cordially invited; Rev. Lucy C. McGee, Ph. M., minister.

SCOTCH PRESBYTERIAN—Warrenton st., near New York av.; Sunday, 10.30 a. m., Rev. Alexander Mackay, B. A., B. D., will preach; 4 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Rev. Mr. Mackay.

BAPTIST.

DUDLEY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Pastor Fulton will preach at 10:30; Bible school at 12; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45; all come.

UNITARIAN.

FIRST PARISH CHURCH IS OAM BRIDGE, Rev. Samuel McChord Crothers, minister; Sunday at 10:45 o'clock. Cordial welcome to all.

Real Estate—Miscellaneous.

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Real Estate—Everett.

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Real Estate—Medford.

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Real Estate—Melrose.

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Real Estate—Roxbury.

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BACK BAY, 144—Large sunny room, with large connecting recess in thoroughly modern apartment; steam heat, continuous hot water; kitchen privileges.

BACK BAY—West Newton st., 302, nicely furnished back parlor, square, side rooms, $2 week up; steam heated.

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MT. PLEASANT Av.—Sunny, nicely furnished room with private family; no bath; telephone.

NEWBURY ST., 9—Commercials, furnished rooms, hot and cold water; telephone 81067 Back Bay.

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BOX, 9 Fountain st., 3 Regent st.; two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; rent reasonable.

BOXBURY—2 Wagleworth st., 2 nice, sunny rooms, furnished or unfurnished; steam heat; all conveniences.

BOXBURY—47 Brook av., furnished suite of rooms for light housekeeping; also other rooms, $3.50.

BOXBURY—Roxbury st., near Dudley sq., nicely furnished room or two furnished front rooms for housekeeping.

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BOXBURY—13 Russell st., two connecting unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; use of bath; $3 per week. Apply 11 Russell st.

BOXBURY, 31 Sherman st., large furnished heated room; continuous hot water; private family; use of phone.

BOXBURY, 45 Linwood st., furnished room, expert boarder $3.50 to $4.50 per week.

BOXBURY, 71—Middlesex park; nicely furnished bay parlor, kitchenette, side, $3; phone 1247 Dor.

BUTLAND SQ., 23—Square and front side rooms, well heated, light, hot water; housekeeping privileges.

BUTLAND ST., 74—Dining room and kitchenette, with privileges; private entrance, private family.

CHAWMUT AV., 406—Suite 2; large side room, conveniences, private American family preferred.

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How Would YOU Write This?

A Lesson in Expressing Ideas for Our Young People

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To write well is, first, to HAVE a good idea and then know how to get the idea from your head into another man's head, simply and readily, without waste of words and without effort on the part of the man who reads.

The art of making YOUR thought plain and clear to others is highly important—not only to the writer, but to every human being.

The clerk is a good clerk when he can put his idea easily into the mind of a customer.

A good mother can get her thoughts, the goodness of her heart, easily into the minds of her children.

The art of making yourself clear in speech or writing, and easily understood, is like every other art, ONE THAT MUST BE PRACTICED.

So here is a lesson today for the boys at high school and the older men who wish that they were at high school LEARNING.

We take an extract from an advertisement of the works of Rudyard Kipling. The extract was written by Edmund Gosse, a well-known writer. Here it is. Read it quickly, without stopping, and see if you understand immediately just what the writer meant.

"Not fewer distinguished men of letters profess to have 'discovered' Mr. Kipling than there were cities of old in which Homer was born. Yet, in fact, the discovery was not much more creditable to them than it would be, on a Summer night, to contrive to notice a comet flying across the sky."

That was intended as a very simple statement, one to be instantly absorbed by the reading mind. But IS it such a statement?

Take your pencil and paper and see for yourself just how much better, how much more simply, how much more briefly, YOU can express the thought that Edmund Gosse tried to get from his mind into your mind.

This is a good chance for readers to practice the art of expressing a simple thought simply. For the idea is to make a simple striking COMPARISON.

Imagination that invents or spontaneously expresses thought in apt comparison is the good imagination.

The writing quoted above is bad, because it begins with the word "NOT." You will feel instinctively that to begin by saying NOT is something like harnessing a horse with his nose against the dashboard.

You will also see that the dragging in of a number of cities in which Homer was supposed to have been born checks the thought that the writer wanted to express and makes the reader stumble and hesitate, instead of getting the idea into his mind IMMEDIATELY.

We give you this quotation from the Rudyard Kipling advertisement not in a spirit of silly criticism, but with a desire to have a good way young men PRACTICE THOUGHT and expression.

Write out for yourself the best way in which YOU could express the idea that Edmund Gosse wishes to convey.

He might have said, for example:

"The critics who say they 'discovered' Kipling are as ridiculous as the hoptoad on the railroad track who said he discovered the approaching locomotive headlight."

Or he might say:

"When the lighthouse keeper sends the light across the water the little fish says, 'I have discovered the lighthouse.' That fish is the critic who said, 'I have discovered Kipling.'"

Or you could compare the little unimportant critic who "discovers" the great writer to the beetles, moths and other tiny flying creatures of the night that flock to and discover the electric arc light. Except for that light THEY would be invisible. And except for the light of that which they criticise, the critics as a rule would be invisible.

Many a critic who "discovers" a great man is simply an obscure little fluttering moth, lighted up for a moment, made visible by the light that the great man casts upon him.

The human race has practiced almost everything EXCEPT THINKING.

Thinking and writing or speaking must go together. There is no real thought that is not expressed in words. You cannot think EXCEPT IN WORDS. Try it.

The animals cannot THINK, they can only feel, because they possess no language with which to express and formulate thought.

Men deal with each other, convince each other, by thought and through the expression of thought in words.

The man who can think well and express his thoughts well and simply and find a SHORT, EASY ROAD TO THE MIND OF THE OTHER MAN is the man who succeeds.

PRACTICE THOUGHT AND THE WRITING AND SPEAKING OF YOUR THOUGHT.

Why Did Not Senator Works Ask the Vice-President?

Senator Works, a professed progressive of California, has offered in the Senate a bill to repeal the Hetch Hetchy law, recently enacted and signed with a special message of approval by President Wilson. The Senator gives many reasons for asking the repeal of the law, nearly all of which were thoroughly discussed and demolished during the debate prior to the passage of the original bill. One, however, is entirely new, the child of the Senator's own fertile and surprising brain, and as such merits attention.

After making the broad accusation of "powerful and insidious lobbying" against the friends of the bill, the Senator goes on to say:

> The San Francisco Examiner, out of selfish, interested motives, was filled with misstatement of facts and misleading matter. A special edition of the paper printed in Washington on the eve of the passage of the bill for the purpose of influencing the votes of Senators contained signed statements of three members of the Cabinet and the Vice-President, under flaring headlines, and accompanied by their pictures, favoring the passage of the bill, thus making it appear that the bill was an Administration measure. How these signed statements, intended to influence the action of members of this body on a bill of grave importance, were obtained, or by whom; why they were put out in this form, or how much the signers of them knew about the facts or the merits of the bill, have not been disclosed, but I take it for granted that their use in that way was unauthorized by the signers of them.

It would be agreeable for the AMERICAN to say that Senator Works was misinformed or mistaken, but he is neither. He is merely wilfully misstating the facts.

Everything that was done in the support of the Hetch Hetchy measure, everything that was done to bring the facts in this matter to the attention of the Senate, was done openly and conspicuously. There was no secret lobbying. On the contrary, the facts and arguments in support of the Hetch Hetchy bill were made in the most conspicuous way possible through the Hetch Hetchy edition of the San Francisco Examiner in Washington.

In that edition the facts were presented, not merely to the Senators, but to the public, and the same statements, of course, were made and were available to the public.

What could be more open and honorable than the presentation of a cause in this way, and what less subject to the accusation of lobbying?

It has been twenty-four days since the Hetch Hetchy edition of the San Francisco Examiner was published in Washington. All that time Senator Works has sat in the same chamber with the Vice-President and has been within instant call of three Cabinet officers.

Senator Works could easily have found out, and, as a matter of obvious fact, he undoubtedly has found out, that the statements of the Vice-President and the Cabinet officers were used with their full authority and approval. For, if there were the slightest doubt of the authority, Senator Works would not merely have disingenuously assumed that the statements were not authorized; he would definitely have asserted that they were unauthorized.

In brief, Senator Works employs an indirect and dishonest insinuation to suggest an idea which he knows to be utterly false.

One of the misfortunes of every new party is that it collects within its ranks at first all the fakes and frauds and discredited incompetents who had been found out in the old parties and expelled from them.

The presence of Senator Works in the Progressive party is a signal example of this fact. Eventually, of course, the new party finds out its frauds and disowns them, just as the old parties have done, and there is no doubt that if the State of California had the recall of Senators today, the first use it would make of it would be to remove Senator Works by the scruff of the neck from a position where he discredits both the Senate and the State.

THE BOSS OR THE CLOCK?

Which Do You Beat to Work?

If your time for getting to work is 8 o'clock in the morning, you know the boss, who has made his PILE, doesn't get to the office until 8:30 or 9 o'clock. Do you just slide in ahead of him, thinking you are "putting something over" and cheating the Boss out of a half or three-quarters of an hour's time each day? Or do you beat the clock each morning by a few minutes, full of "pep" and ready for any question the boss might ask you about the business, when he does come in?

It's always easier to sleep a few minutes late in the morning after that game of pool or poker the night before, thinking "Oh, I can skin into the office before the boss gets there, and he won't be wise!" But the boss IS wise—or he wouldn't be the BOSS—and when promotion time comes you will find you have been beating no one but YOURSELF; also that the thing worth beating in the business world is the CLOCK, and not the BOSS.

H. C.

The Problem of Living

By EDWIN MARKHAM

"ON Board the Good Ship Earth" is the catchy title of Herbert Quick's latest book. He discusses the great world problem of how we ought to try to live together on this planet. Here is a brief passage:

"The Oriental peoples, of which the Chinese and Japanese are the best examples, are quartered on those portions of the decks of the good ship Earth where human beings are most numerous. Some Europeans are almost as good husbandmen as are the Orientals. We in the United States have had only a hundred years or so in which to prove our unfitness for the ownership of fertile lands, and we have gone far to prove it by ruining large areas of good soil—and the ruin is going on faster now than ever before.

"The yellow peril is a reality to our Pacific States, to Western Canada, to Australia and South Africa. The Asiatics wish to move from lands which seem to be overpopulated to lands which are rich in plant food, which have good climates and not too many inhabitants. The deepest thinkers are of the opinion that this tendency on the part of large populations to move is no less important, no less fateful, now than it was when the same tendency on the part of the same people hurled wave after wave of war on Rome and destroyed her. Will Asiatic exclusion laws always protect against these movements?

"Only four of these elements give the farmer any trouble on account of their scarcity—nitrogen, phosphorus, sulphur and potassium. All the rest are found in plenty. And the passengers on the good ship Earth have chosen their quarters on her broad decks with reference to the presence of the deck-dust—called soil—of these four things—nitrogen, phosphorus, sulphur and potassium. Each presents a wonderful world problem—a problem in our future peace as well as our future plenty—great enough for a book—a library of books."

The Lad for Me

By LILIAN LAUFERTY

ALL of the world is in love in Summer,
Flowers and birds can woo in May;
Man plays at love like a very mummer.
Thru glow and thru gleam of the June tide day.
What is the worth of a Summer lover?
Sand of the sea, is his shifting vow;
Winds of the Northland 'round me hover—
Here's to the lad who will love me now!

Give me your love when the fire's bright ember
Lends sunlight's glow to the cold, gray sky;
If you can love in chill December,
My heart will send you love's reply.
For lo! when the ice from the pave is gleaming,
And cold rain slants from the Winter sky,
Of Summer loves I'd not be dreaming,
But let them sleep and chill and die.

Where is the faith of a Summer lover?
A flower petal outwears his vow;
Like honey bee, a light-heart rover—
So here's to the lad who will love me now.
The lad for me must still remember
The gleam of Spring 'neath Winter's sky;
If your heart calls in chill December,
My heart will send you love's reply.

Why Not Courting in Kitchen?

By WINIFRED BLACK

THE housemaids of Cleveland, Ohio, have formed a union, and they are greatly exercised over the question, "Shall we or shall we not consent to receive our gentlemen friends in the kitchen?"

Good for the Housemaids' Union—I believe in it. Better hours, better pay, better sleeping rooms—I hope the housemaids will get all these things. Why not?

But about this kitchen business. Pause a moment, dear Madame President of the Housemaids' Union. What is the matter with the kitchen? Is there something disgraceful about it? Pray tell! And, if so, when did its disgraceful dishonor begin?

Ugly? A good, wholesome, clean, cheerful kitchen? Why, to my mind it's the prettiest room in the house. What's ugly about a shining floor, and clean curtains, and a bright range, and rows of good cooking dishes?

I've seen dozens of stiff little reception rooms, with stiff little gilt chairs in them, and a stiff, beroled carpet on the floor, and a stiff gilt mirror on the solemn walls, that weren't half so pretty as a kitchen to my eyes.

I don't see anything disgraceful about a kitchen, unless it is dirty. Seems to me if I could cook well enough to hold a good place I'd be proud of it, not ashamed, and whisper, gentle maidens of the Housemaids' Union, I never noticed any aversions to the kitchen on the part of any man I ever met.

The average woman has to argue with her husband by day and by night to keep him from making some excuse to get out into the kitchen.

Don't send your young man away from the kitchen, gentle Hilda or sweet Eileen. Lead him right in and see how mild and tamable the sight of that shiny range and those rows of delectable spices will make him.

If I had a young man who was a little slow in coming to the point of talking about the flat, I'd never see him anywhere but in my kitchen, and I'd wear a good, big, clean, serviceable kitchen apron when I saw him, too.

Oh, yes, the tube skirts and the elaborate hair are well enough to catch his vagrant eye, but when you want to really enchain him give him a doughnut of your cooking, or a dozen cukes or so with raisins in them, and watch the caution and the reserve melt from his manner like snow in the Spring sunshine.

Ole isn't all for moonlight picnics and moving picture shows, Hilda; he just sees that way to please you. What Ole really takes an interest in is a good fire on a cool evening, a comfy seat by it and something good to eat. By this necromancy shall you hold him captive, no matter what yellow-haired siren tries to steal his heart from you.

Questions Answered

T. H. C.—The osage orange is a native of North America and is generally used as a hedge. In some instances it attains a height of 60 feet. The fruit is not poisonous, but is seldom, if ever, eaten, being filled with a woody fibre and a milky juice which is far from attractive to the taste.

Reader.—No satisfactory solution of the question of the origin of the Eskimo has ever been given. Whether they came from Asia or from North America, whether they are related to the more Southern American Indians or to the Tartars of the great Asian Continent is still open to debate.

Y. J.—"Vikings" is the term that applies to the Scandinavian warriors—call them pirates, if you like—of the eighth to the eleventh century. The term applies to the rank and file as well as to the chiefs, and means, fundamentally, pirates, or robbers.

C. H.—It would be most ungracious to institute a comparison between Washington and Lincoln as to greatness. They were both great, immensely great, and they, too, in the best and highest sense. It is likely that Lincoln was greater than Washington in mental grasp, but in all the fundamentals of greatness the two men were about equal.

C. F. M.—The British Parliament and the United States Congress have many points of difference. The Parliament is practically omnipotent, while the Congress is subject not only to the provisions of the Constitution, but to the President's veto. Congress represents the people; while Parliament, to all intents and purposes, is the people.

Do You Have Trouble With Your Feet?

Everybody who has should read this article by Dr. Samuel W. Boorstein, who explains how you can tell if you are getting "flat-footed" and just what to do for this painful and really very serious deformity. It will be an interesting feature of tomorrow's Boston Sunday AMERICAN.

In the same edition, too, will appear well illustrated stories as follows:

What Will Happen in 1914!

Forecasts of events which we may look for during the next year made by the best known prophets of Europe and America, including Raphael and Zadkiel of London, Mme. de Thebes of Paris, and Professor Sothnos Letillier, this newspaper's own special forecaster.

What Is a Broken Heart Worth:

The Baroness Ursula demands $2,500,000 from a St. Louis millionaire for hers, but the record price for a heart is $250,000, which Daisy Markham got, and the highest price ever paid for a whole life is only $60,000.

How Barbers and Hairdressers Spread Disease:

A bacteriological examination of combs, brushes and other things used in public shops reveals a shocking condition of affairs, and in this page science points out the twelve things which every barber should be compelled by law to do to protect his patrons from infection.

Evelyn Thaw Describes Happiest Moment of Her Life:

The great joy which motherhood brought her, why she went far away to bear her child in secret, and why she hid its existence even from Harry Thaw himself for almost two years—all told by Mrs. Thaw herself in the most surprising double page article of hers that has yet appeared.

What Probably Happened to Dorothy Arnold:

Why the police believe that in the case of pretty little Susie Ferraro, who was seized by four men and hurried off into shameful bondage, they have an exact duplicate of the mysterious disappearance of the New York heiress.

The Sea's Greatest Mystery Explained:

Captain E. K. Roden, the nautical expert, points out the manifest absurdity of other printed explanations and shows clearly what probably happened to the ill-fated company who sailed out of New York harbor on the brig "Marie Celeste" forty years ago and were never heard of again.

Is There "Something in" Palmistry After All:

Some scientists now believe that a study of the lines in the palms does show which persons are mentally and physically the strongest and are best fitted for success in life.

Paul Poiret's Newest Fashions:

A page of odd and interesting gowns designed by the foremost man dressmaker in Paris, who says that "There should be as many styles as there are women."

How to Serve Afternoon Tea:

Mrs. Frank Learned, the well known authority on social usage, gives the rules of etiquette which govern this fashionable way of entertaining one's friends.

Where Bunyan Got His Pilgrim's Progress:

A very curious literary discovery which shows that Bunyan culled the ideas for what is, next to the Bible, the best selling book in the world, from a curious old French work.